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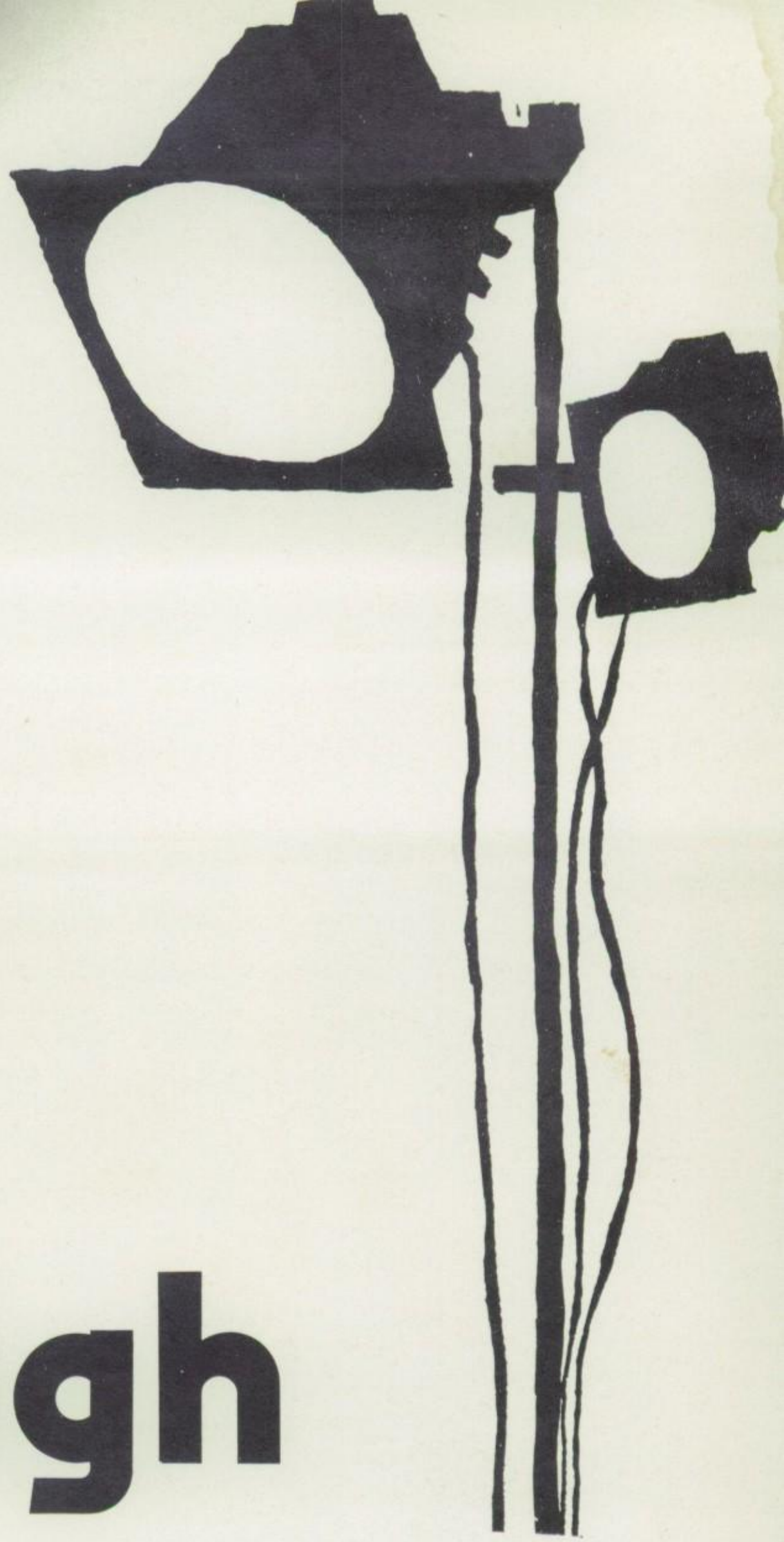

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OBERLIN HIGH SCHOOL
OBERLIN, OHIO

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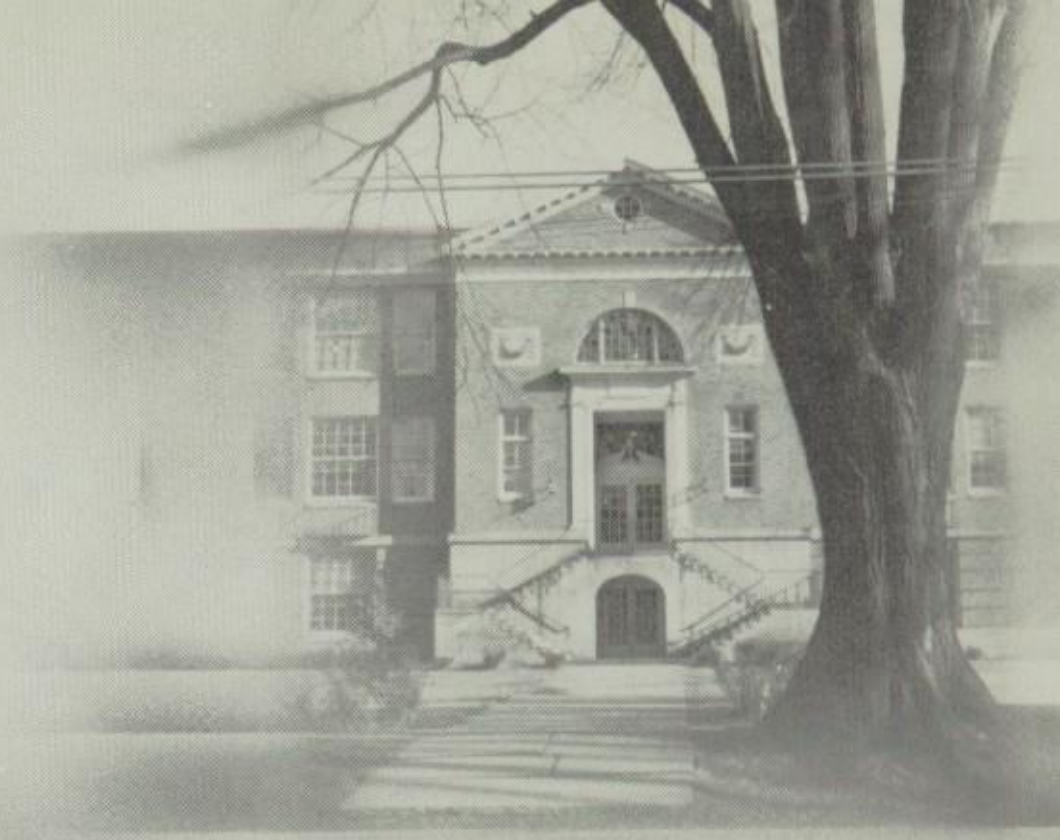

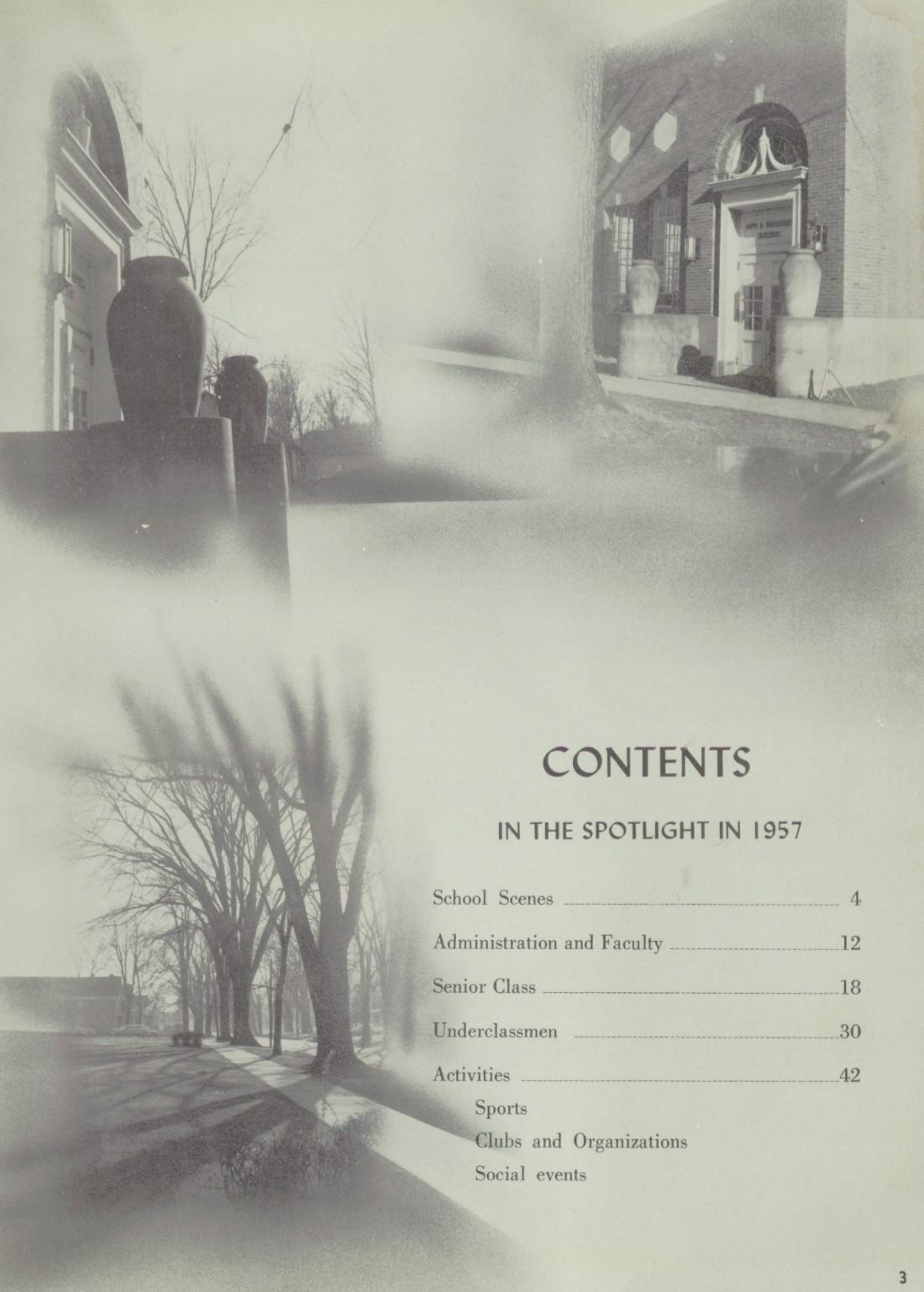

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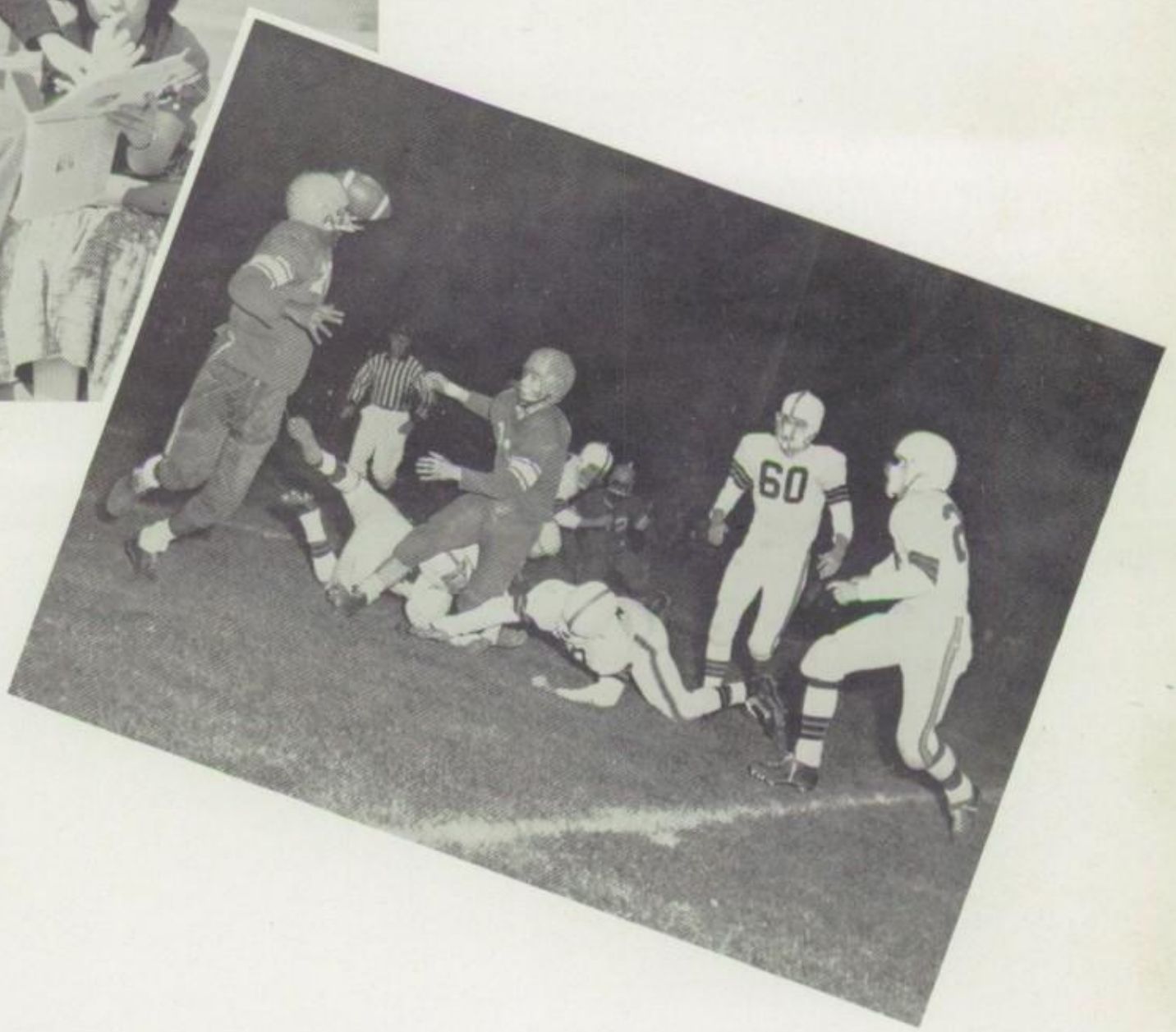
SPOTLIGHT ON SOM

The national presidential election was reflected in O.H.S. by vigorous campaigns in civics classes where Tom Staubus took the part of Eisenhower and Richard Koshar represented Stevenson.

United Nations Day was marked by the presentation of awards to the winners of a contest for essays written on the subject, "Why We Have the United Nations." The winners were Tony Lanyi, Joan Walker, Linda Arlt, and Idajeanne Robinson.

MPORTANT EVENTS OF 1957

Two Oberlin students have participated in the American Field Service program. Helma Frietag from Germany is spending her senior year in Oberlin High School, and Jim MacLaury, an Oberlin senior, spent last summer in Germany.



Oberlin's football team won the game with Rocky River, after having suffered several defeats in past years from the ancient foe.

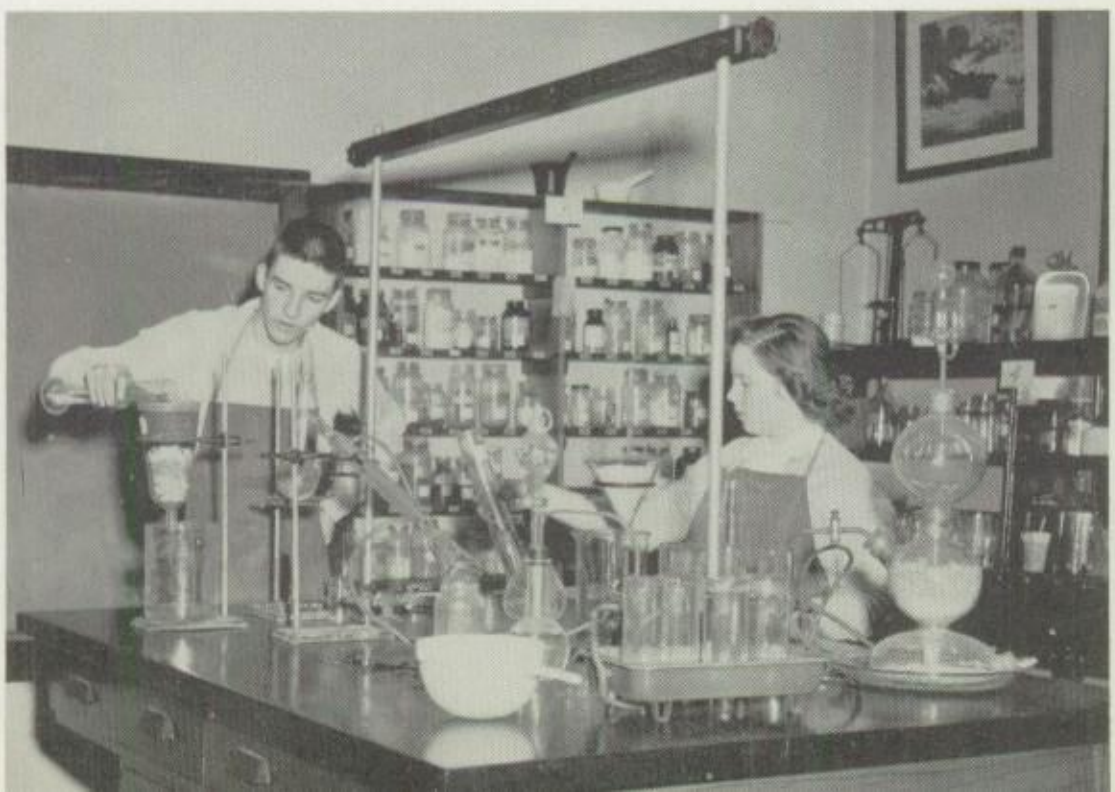
A new trophy, proudly displayed by football heroes Alan Chaney and Jack Coniam, came to our high school as a result of our tying for the championship of the Southwestern League.

Mechanical Drawing Class

Ray Brown
in Art Class

SPOTLIGHT ON

Philip Meadows and Hebe Schettler in a chemistry lab.



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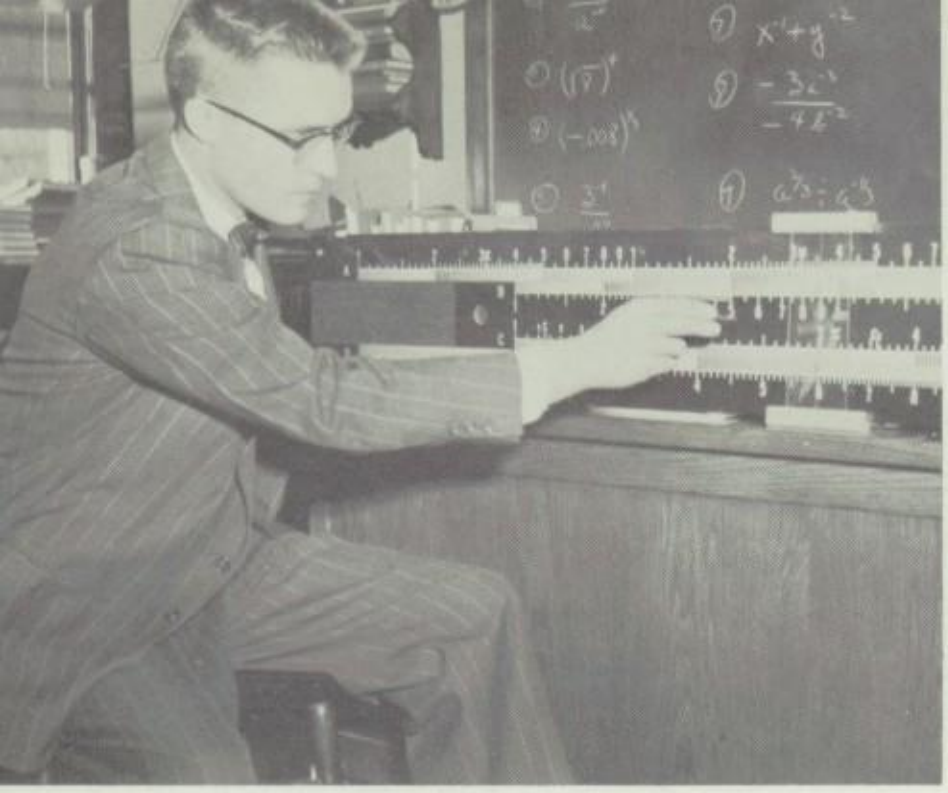


Mr. Shubert in a math class.

Miss Doane with Ruth Rhinehardt, Mary Butler, and Judy Thompson in a home economics class.

CHOOL SCENES

Tweeds
Todd Totzke, Dave Aughenbaugh, and Paul Stofan

Linda Totzke, Noel Oakley, and Jane Fildey in an after school session at the Popcorn Bowl.

This Autumn of Unusual Beauty

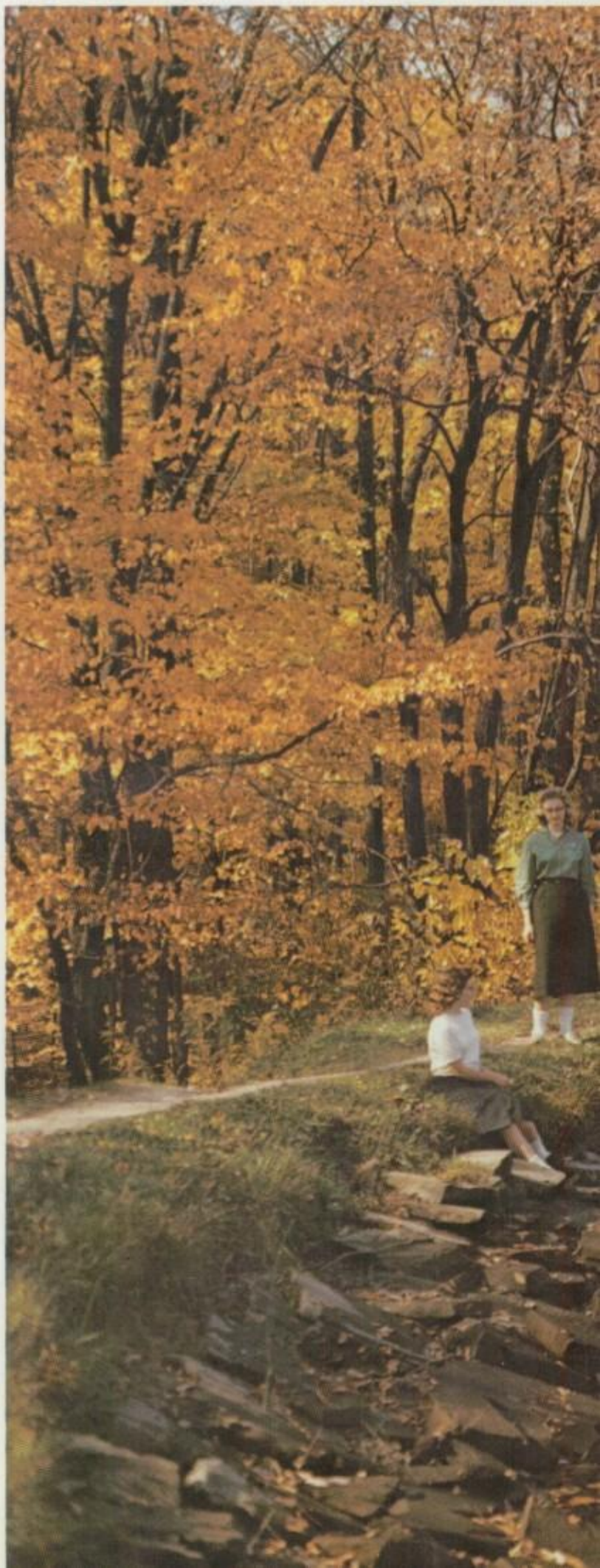
A VAGABOND'S SONG

There is something in the autumn that is native
to my blood,
Touch of manner, hint of mood;
And my heart is like a rhyme,
With the yellow and the purple and the crimson
keeping time.

The scarlet of the maples can shake me like a cry
Of bugles going by.
And my lonely spirit thrills
To see the frosty asters like smoke upon the hills.

There is something in October sets the gipsy blood
astir;
We must rise and follow her,
When from every hill of flame,
She calls and calls each vagabond by name.

Bliss Carman



Will Long Remain in Our Memory

SPOTLIGHT ON NEW

Our school office has two very fine new secretaries this year who add greatly to the efficient service, and to the pleasant and friendly atmosphere there. Mrs. Helen Verda is seated in the foreground, with her assistant, Mrs. Thelma Smith, at her desk in the rear.

Mrs. Mildred Haines, our new guidance counselor, is of very great assistance in advising and helping all of us with our problems. Her presence fills a long-felt need in our school, and we all appreciate her gracious personality and are grateful to have her with us. Here she is having conference with Jerrie Bennett and Fred Dickinson.

Helma Frietag, who is with us this year from Germany, is a friendly and popular member of the senior class. It has been a privilege and a pleasure to have her as a member of our school.

ADDITIONS TO OUR SCHOOL

There are several new faculty members on the staff this year. Here we see Mr. Maclennan, Mr. Ritter, Mrs. Haines, Mr. Henke, Mrs. Clark, Mr. Lynch, and Mr. Newell.

These girls are the officers of a new organization, the Pep Club. Its purpose is to arouse school spirit, to promote good sportsmanship, and to lead the student body to participate as enthusiastic and good spectators of sports activities. They are Jane Fildey, Diana Deuble, Ingrid Malm, and Barbara McCloud.

FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATION

Superintendent
DR. HARRY A. KOSS

ADMINISTRATION

DR. HARRY A. KOSS
Superintendent of Schools

Dr. Harry A. Koss and Mr. Paul Newell are spending their first year as superintendent and principal in the Oberlin school system. Their leadership is bringing new inspiration for greater accomplishment in all phases of school life.

MR. PAUL NEWELL
High School Principal

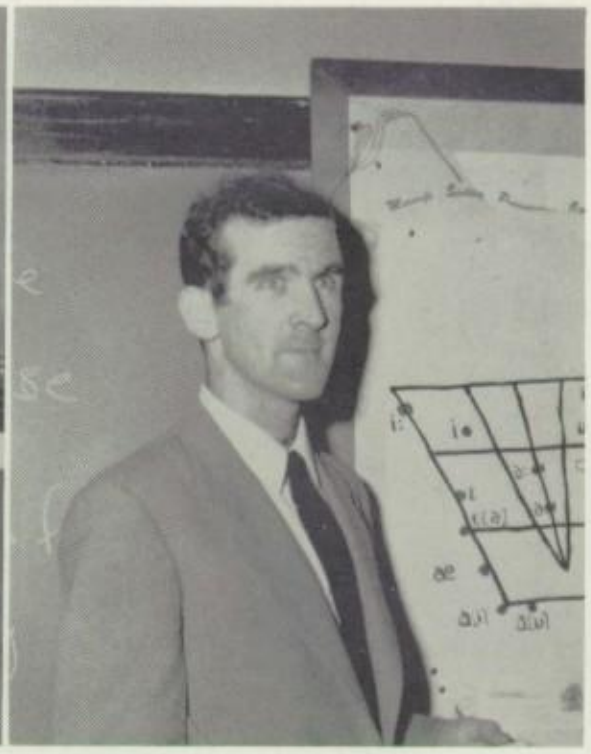
R. M. Johnston, R. S. Kilmer, S. P. Zuris, C. M. Van Ausdale. Seated: E. P. Vance, Mrs. L. A. Fridenstine, H. A. Koss.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

These public-spirited Oberlin Citizens give freely of their time, their talents, and of themselves. We offer them our sincere gratitude and appreciation for their great gift of service to our schools.

MISS DORIS MERTHE
Latin, French

MRS. HETTIE LOU CLARK
English, School Play



MR. DONALD MACLENNAN
English, Speech, School Play

FACULTY

Three years of English are required for graduation and a fourth year is encouraged. Students who plan to attend college are expected to complete four credits.

The foreign language program includes electives. College preparatory students usually have two years of Latin and two of French.

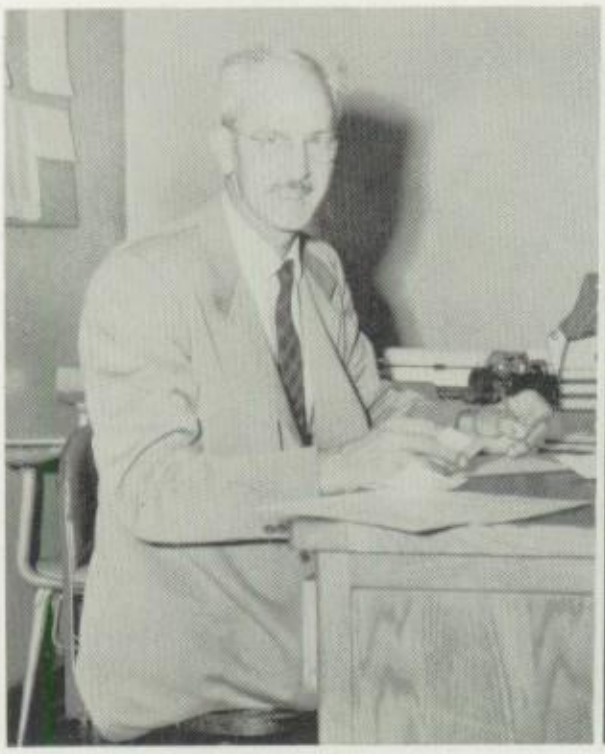
Social studies are designed to prepare students to be responsible and conscientious citizens. Seniors are required to take courses in history and civics which explain the background and the basic operation of our government.

MRS. RACHEL HANNON
English, Senior Class Advisor

MRS. DOROTHY HUNGATE
English, Annual Advisor

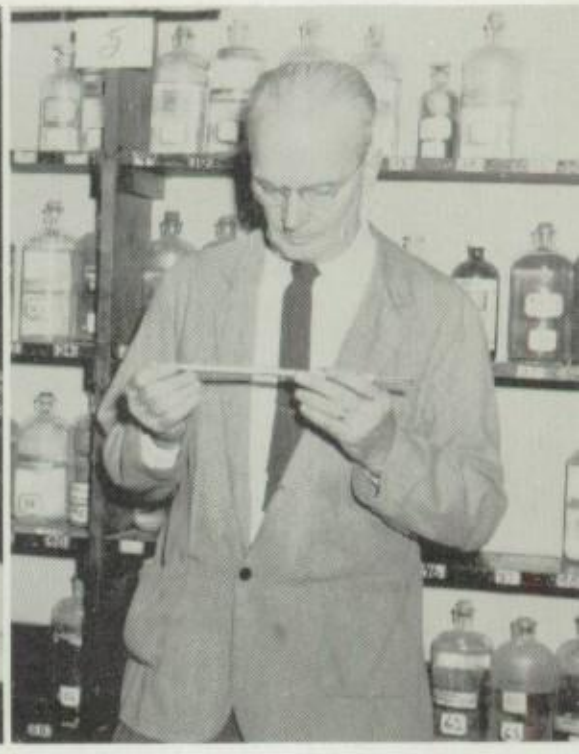
MR. JOSEPH SZWAJA
Civics, American History, Junior Class Advisor

MISS MARGARET MARTIN
History, Eighth Grade Advisor



MR. CHARLES BEDELL
Science, Biology, Junior High Athletics

MISS DIANE DOANE
Home Economics, Home Economics Club Advisor



MR. DONALD SIMPSON
Physics, Chemistry, Driver Training

MR. OLIVER SHUBERT
Mathematics, Hi-Y Club Advisor

A student must take at least one science course in high school. General science, biology, chemistry, and physics are the courses offered.

In the ninth grade all students must take general math or algebra. Other courses offered are geometry, advanced algebra with trigonometry, and advanced math with solid geometry.

Commercial subjects, home economics, and industrial arts provide an opportunity for students to develop skills which will be a valuable aid in obtaining employment after graduation.

The value of driver training is becoming increasingly appreciated, and there are many requests for this course.

MR. STEWART FAIRCHILD
Mathematics, Freshman Class Advisor

MISS JUANITA SCHRAMM
Commercial Subjects, Fine Arts Club Advisor

MR. THEODORE WALTER
Industrial Arts

MR. PETER FANNING
Health Education, Physical Education, Football Coach

MISS MARGUERITE GRILLS
Biology, Physical Education, Girls' Coach, Cheerleader

MR. RUSSELL LYNCH
World History, Physical Education, Basketball Coach

The physical education department offers courses and activities designed to promote good physical development as well as to teach fair play, cooperation, and good sportsmanship. Two credits in this field are required for graduation.

The library is open throughout the school day for research or recreational reading. Eight student assistants help the librarian in the operation of the library service.

The Fine Arts and Music departments offer opportunities for the development and enjoyment of esthetic interests and abilities.

MISS BEULAH MAY
Librarian, O-High Lights Advisor

MRS. MARIAN SIMPSON
Fine Arts, Art Supervisor

MR. HERBERT HENKE
Vocal Music

MR. GORDON RITTER
Band, Orchestra

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CLASS

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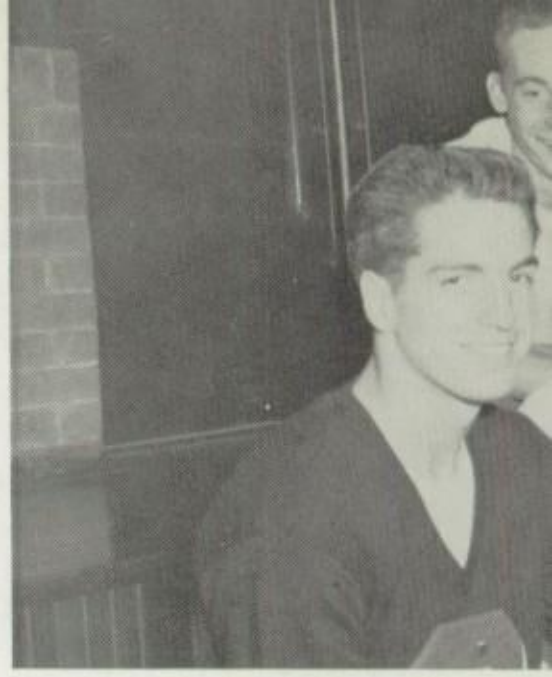
MARNA ATKINS

INA ARMSTRONG



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Secretary
Treasurer
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RONALD BAILEY

JERRIE BENNETT

MARGARET BENNETT

DOROTHY BERG

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NED GOTT
MARTY SANNER
LOUISE HOLLOWAY
BARBARA SMITH
TOM STAUBUS

ALICE BRICKELL

EUGENE BRILL

BEVERLY BUNGARD

HOWARD CODNEY

ROBERT BERG

ALAN CHANEY

LYNN CHAMPNEY

JUDY CARDER

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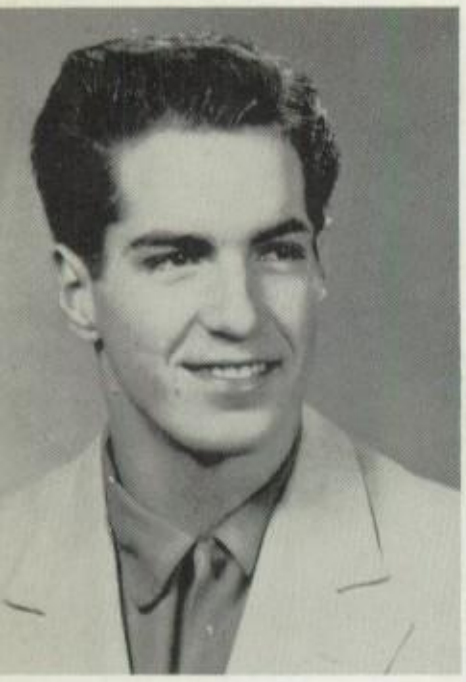

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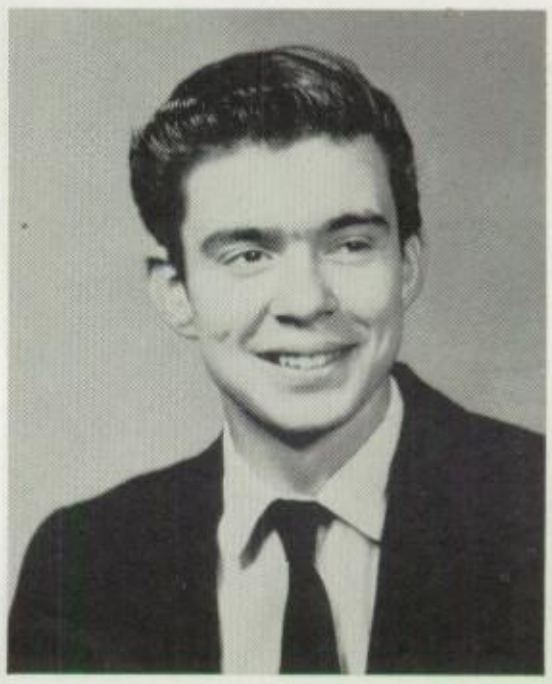
MARY DAUGHERTY

Class Advisor
MRS. HANNON



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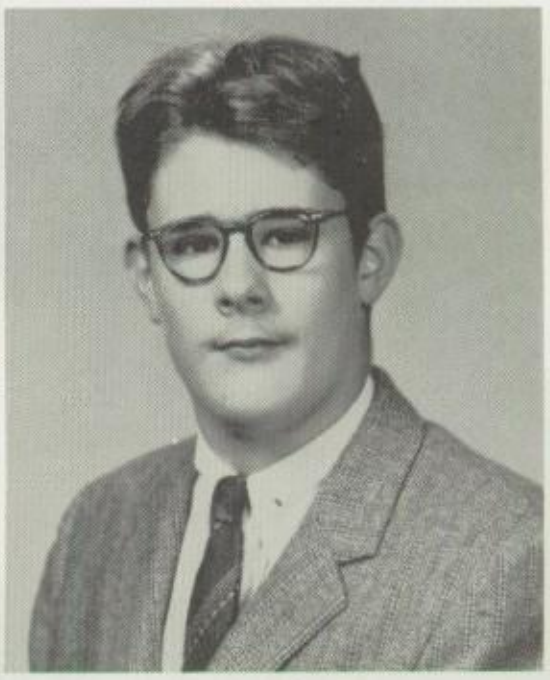

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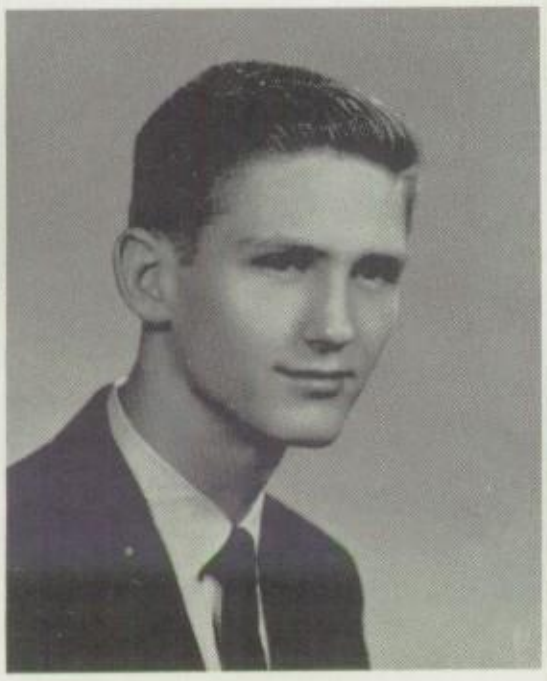

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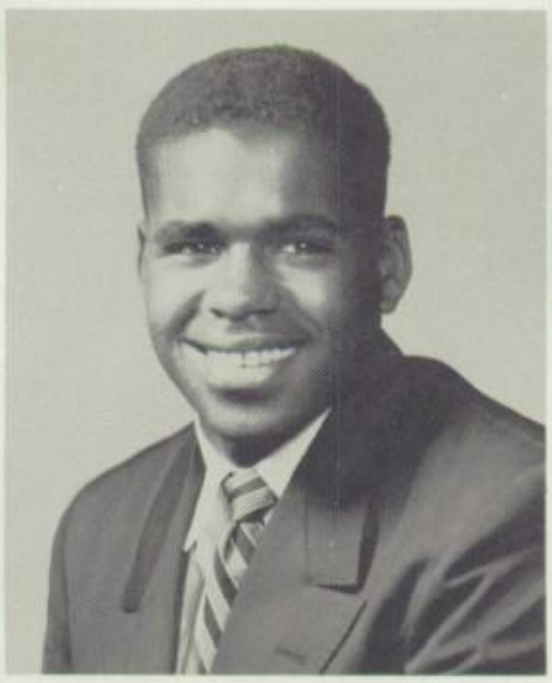

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WILLIAM MORRIS

JAMES PRINCEHORN

ORVILLE POTTS

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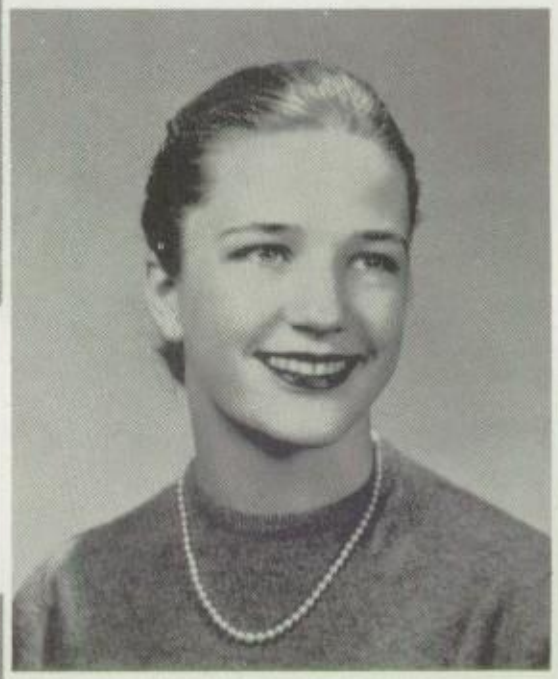
LOIS REYNOLDS

IDAJEANNE ROBINSON



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BRENT STALNAKER

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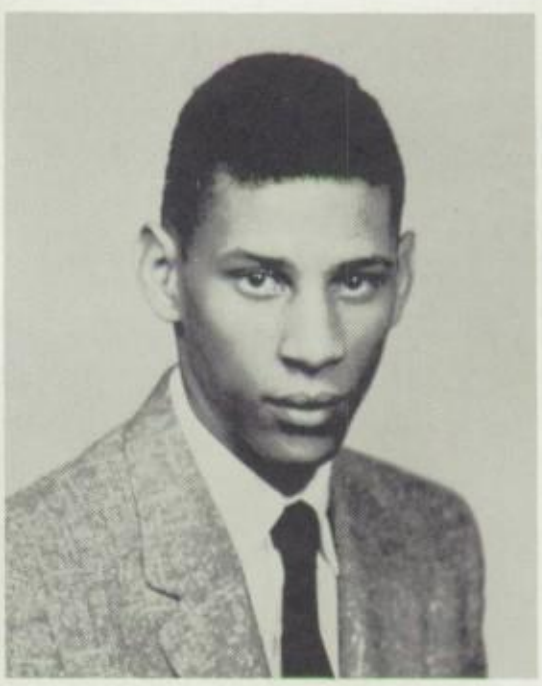

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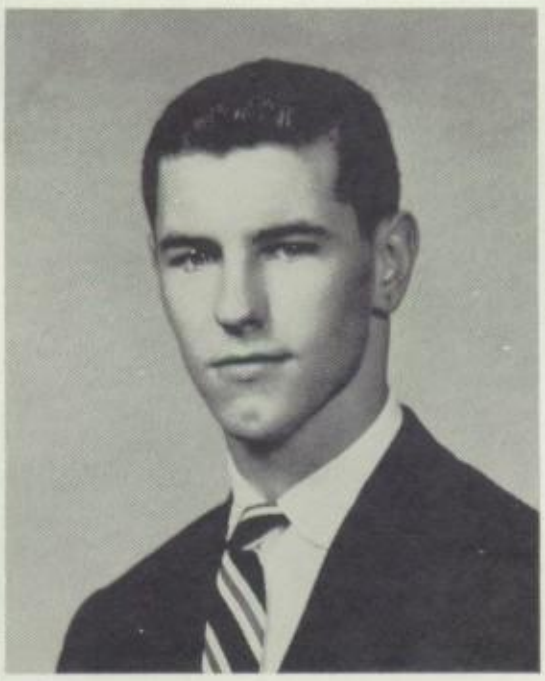


TODD TOTZKE

JOAN THOUROT

1957

Not pictured: CLIFFORD ATKINSON

CLASS HISTORY

Seventh and Eighth grade: We spent these first two years mainly getting used to the big building, changing classes, longer school days, shorter lunch hours, homework, the "big kids," and the ways of high school teachers.

Ninth grade: One of our most exciting years was our "frosh" year. The *Oberlinian*, a newspaper by Baxter-Lanyi and staff, came out just for freshmen and was a howling success and the envy of all the other classes. Most of the girls joined G.A.A. and enjoyed a wonderful season which included walloping the sophomores and the juniors to come out second only to the seniors in the volleyball tournament. Also as freshmen we wore our red and gray hats, trimmed the Christmas tree, attended the first Rhythm Round-up, and drove our advisor, Miss Martin, crazy.

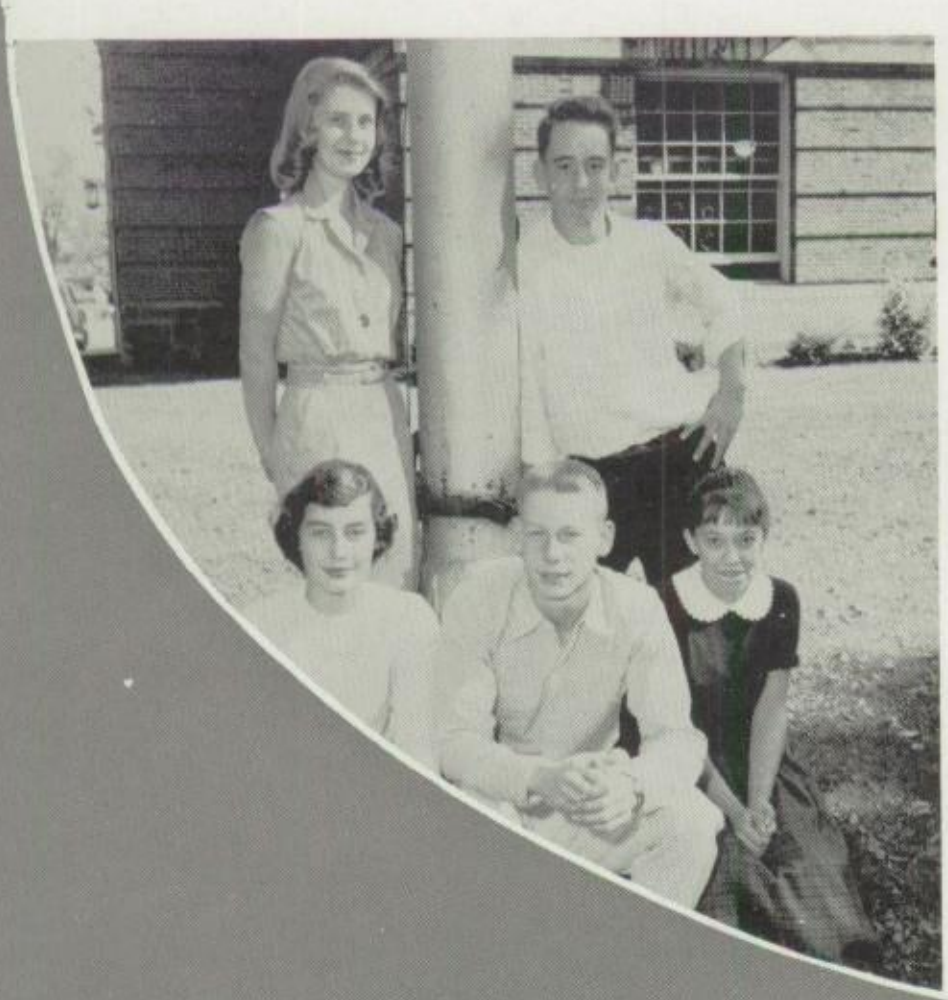
Tenth grade: Sophomores! The girls began more and more to hold their own in G.A.A. and become a challenge to other classes. As for the boys, many joined the football, basketball, and track teams. Already Coniam and Chaney were famous throughout our league. In the spring many young fancies were turned to—you guessed it, and there was a burst of parties. Under Miss Merthe's guidance, the Roman Banquet was a success, and a more serious attitude toward studies brought the year to a close.

Eleventh grade: As juniors we had many good times together including managing the foodstand and the junior carnival. In the spring all of our attentions were turned toward the planning and carrying out of the Prom. Naturally it was a huge success, but we never could have done it without the patience of our advisor, Mr. Szwaja. We got through final exams, ushered at senior commencement, and began to look forward to our next and final year at O.H.S.

Twelfth grade: Ah, the life of a senior! It centers around class sweaters, class trips (Nela Park, etc.), money, lots of undreamed-of work, and lots of fun. Mrs. Hannon and Mr. Shubert are our homeroom teachers and do a good job of advising us and "holding the line." We are very proud of our football team who won the championship for O.H.S. and earned us a free afternoon from school. Looking back over the years we've spent here, we seniors feel that with the excellent training we've received both socially and academically, we can go ahead with our plans for the future with confidence and assurance.

AS WE LOOKED IN EIGHTH GRADE

SPOTLIGHTS ON THE



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SOPHOMORE OFFICERS

President, John Stephens; Vice President, Jane Slater; Secretary-Treasurer, Pat Humphrey; Social Chairmen, Susie Cervone and Berry Bourne.

UNDERCLASSMEN

JUNIOR OFFICERS

President, Bill Arnold; Vice President, Dave Harris; Secretary, Linda Reisinger; Treasurer, Noel Oakley; Social Chairmen, Linda Totzke and Fred Dickinson.

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Marie Amenhauser

William Arnold

JUNIO

La Mont Atkinson

Carl Barnard

Carol Cole

Jeannette Bartko

Shirley Bauman

Jay Coniam

Dolores Cousins

Paul Brill

Raymond Brown

David Coward

Sandra Cowling

Grace Campbell

Denny Chamberlain

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Anthony Simmons

Gretchen Weltzheimer
Dale Wessell

Ronald Spiegelberg
Sally Stephens

John Willbond
Karen Willbond

Patricia Stevens
Gerry Streator

Myrna Wyckoff
Robert Youngless

Jane Thompson
Alex Toth

Sharon Yuronich

Not pictured

Albert George
Edwin Hurd
Rose Hurd

Front row: S. Nagyvathy, J. Johnson, B. Kirk, M. Juvenile. Second row: A. Murphy, G. Atwood, H. Edmonds, R. Hanmer, D. Dietlin. Third row: E. Ellington, D. Lewis, W. Barnaj, G. Fitzpatrick.

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RADE

Front row: M. Urquhart, E. Randle, C. Tresch, J. Schramm. Second row: J. Stephens, J. Schettler, S. Salo, J. Vander Pyl.

Front row: B. Robinson, J. White, H. Washington, R. Johnson. Second row: J. Thompson, G. Robinson, G. Smith. Third row: C. Owens, T. Schettler, D. Cloudt, F. Tran.

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NINTH

Front row: C. Mezurek, R. Morris, H. McKinney, J. MacLaury. Second row: P. Mayle, R. McKinney, L. Macarthy Third row: C. McKinney, J. Newell, L. Means, S. Markowich. Fourth row: B. Oliphant, C. Manual, M. McIlroy.

Front row: J. Shaffer, S. Pintur, J. Schott, M. Pleasnick. Second row: R. Rhinehardt, S. Orr, A. Petroff. Third row: F. Payne, D. Payne, P. Rimbert, J. Schumate. Fourth row: L. Smith, C. Pettet.

GRADE

Front row: W. Bows, J. Chapin, C. Bradley, S. Brotherton. Second row: C. Berg, G. Bodnar, J. Andrick, C. Dewey, J. Crisp. Third row: T. Atkinson, C. Butts, M. Butler. Fourth row: R. Crawford, V. Crockett, S. Bryant.

First row: B. Bukovac, L. Deuble, R. Corlett, G. Clauser. Second row: T. Coats, W. Campbell, W. Dassel. Third row: R. Clayton, D. Coward, C. Champney, R Coe, R. Clark. Fourth row: A. Comings, J. Carpenter, G. Cowling.

Front row: M. Johnson, S. Koyan, D. Locke, L. Langham. Second row: B. Kelley, M. Karr, S. Lewis, W. Lemasters. Third row: L. Hartman, I. Henderson, B. Judson. Fourth row: J. Harris, S. Kilmer, R. Lecraft. Fifth row: T. Hurd.

Front row: N. Hancock, L. Dixon, L. Arlt, R. Comings, M. Arnold. Second row: C. Cobb, A. Dawley, F. Hoffman. Third row: C. Gross, L. Elliot, Bruehler, C. Bedell. Back row: R. Herod, J. Hellmuth, D. Donaldson.

Front row: G. Spiegelberg, R. Malone, M. Mosher, J. Walker, B. Zavodsky. Second row: D. Johnson, J. Worchester, M. Rhodes, K. Wilgor, N. Mitchell, G. Townsel. Third row: B. Miller, B. Verda, C. Robbin, T. Taylor.

EIGHTH

Front row: C. Bray, O. Hurd, J. Adkins, J. Ferguson, H. Atwood. Second row: D. Edmonds, B. Bruce, S. Hecock. Third row: S. Hartman, M. Albright, R. Fountain, G. Hughes. Fourth row: J. Hurst, A. Holbrook, F. Graff.

Front row: G. Clarke, K. Gibson, D. Lewis, N. Mack, J. Moore, K. Jones. Second row: C. McKinney, E. Lance, J. Isom, W. Streator. Third row: J. Cole, D. Hofmann, B. Latran, D. Pleasnick, C. Lang.

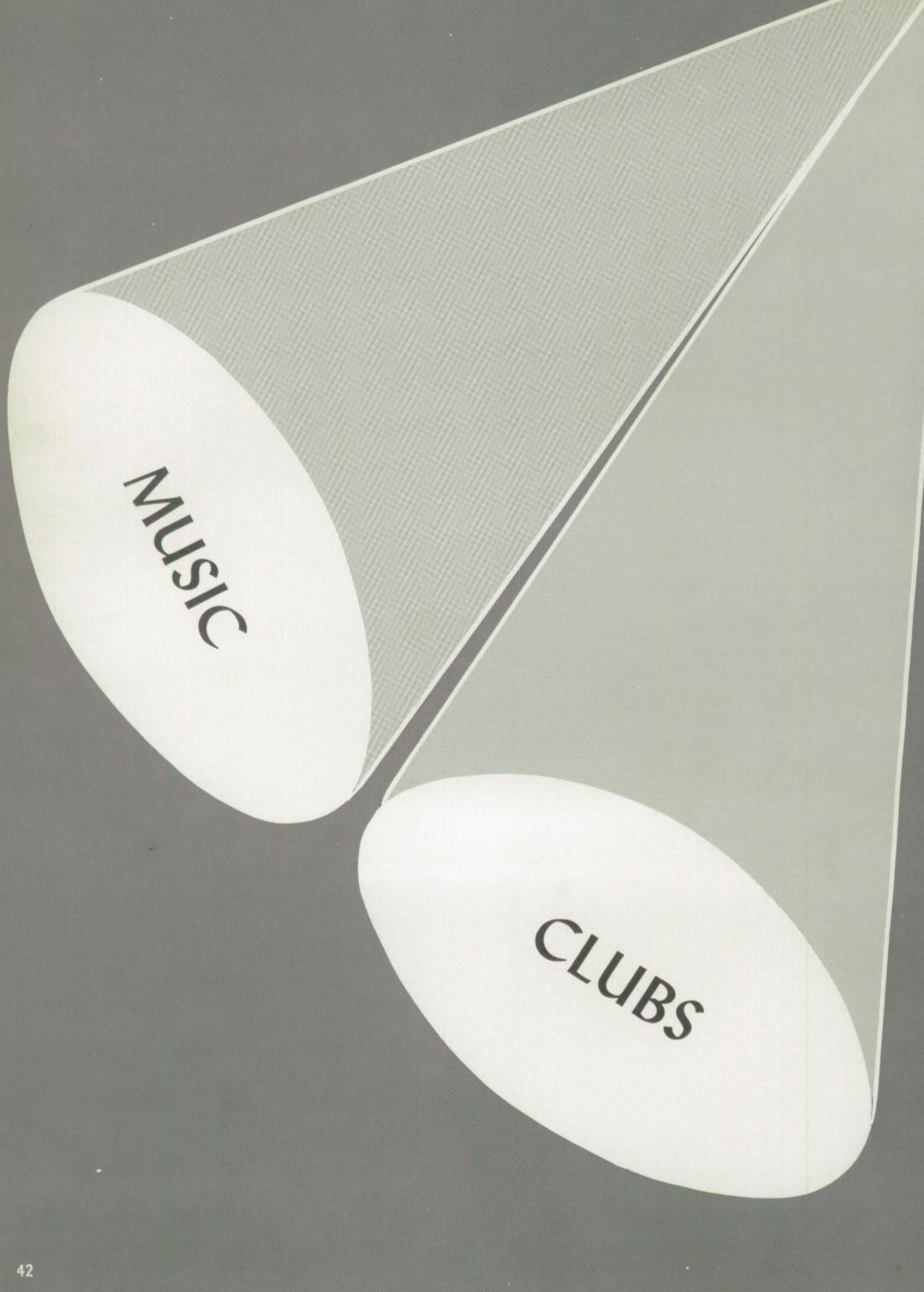
Front row: J. Carrico, B. Bliss, E. Edwards, E. Coates, R. Deuble. Second row: C. Gauman, J. Buck, E. Hill, R. Cowling, B. Hamlin. Third row: T. Griswold, L. Holloway, G. Bell, E. Brown. Fourth row: A. Hill, C. Atkinson.

Front row: L. Rathwell, J. Reed, N. Owen, J. Phillips, J. Olney. Second row: R. Worcester, R. Smith, R. Wood, L. Tkach, E. Ives, S. Sherk. Third row: J. Siddall, R. Johnson, D. Thompson, J. Van Ausdale.

GRADE

First row: A. Shepard, L. Meyers, N. Scott, A. Newell, J. Seabold. Second row: L. Ives, B. McCray,, C. Rosecrans, J. Ignat, A. Matlow. Third row: P. Rimelspach, C. Martin, R. Lang, J. King, M. Melcher. Back row: A. Spurlock.

Front row: J. Thourot, S. Walden, L. Youngless, R. Woodmansee, R. Webber. Second row: J. Thomas, D. Campbell, D. Preast, J. Thompson, J. Van Ausdale. Third row: D. Thompson, L. Thompson, L. Lince, B. Westfall. Back row: K. Twining, P. Thompson.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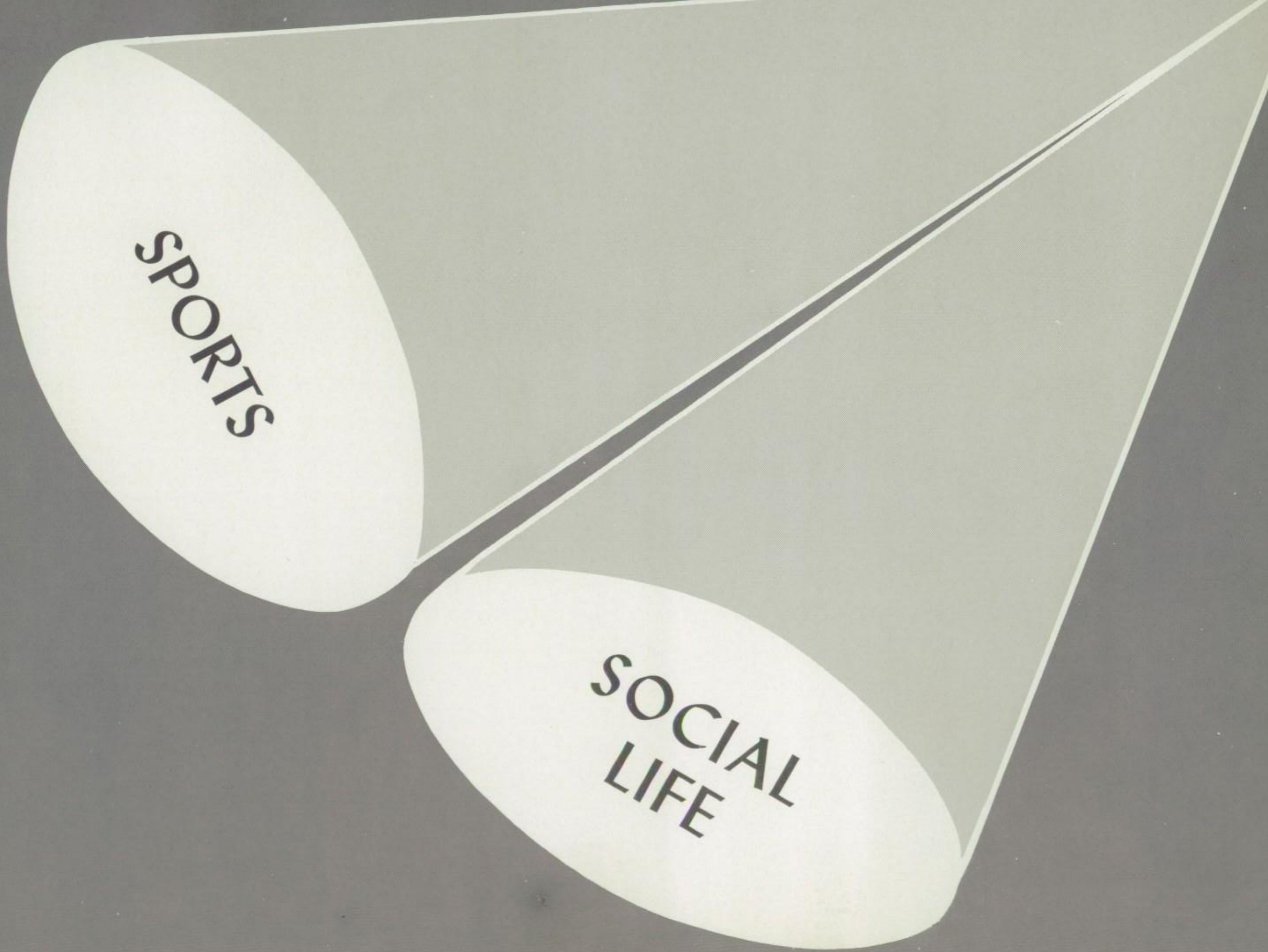

SPORTS
SOCIAL LIFE

O. H. S. BAND AND ORCHESTRA

The Oberlin High School Band, composed of 60 pieces, and directed by Mr. Gordon Ritter, was very active during the football season. They played for all home games and for two of the games away from home, providing programs of marching formations at the halftime periods. They were also active in the county and district solo and ensemble contests. The Pep Band played for all the basketball games and pep rallies.

After the football season, the orchestra, which is composed of 40 pieces, started its season. It joined with choral groups to present the Christmas Concert on December 18, and also took part in the Spring Concert in Hall Auditorium on May 3 when all the music groups presented a fine musical program.

Kay Krueger, Sharon Yuronich, Karen Willbond, Elaine Randle.

These high-stepping majorettes provided colorful leadership and entertainment as they appeared with the marching band during the football season.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

Back row: S. Howard, B. Harris, C. McKinney, L. Deuble, S. Fairchild, D. Welch, B. Kelly, N. Fairchild, M. McIlroy, N. Williamson, M. Sanner, A. Fildey, L. Murphy, P. Strickling. Third row: K. Schuster, S. Bauman, E. Opaliski, C. Radunsky, P. Habecker, L. Means, S. Hunter, M. Gray, A. Fox, S. Crisp, R. Rhinehardt, J. Carder. Second row: M. Karr, B. Bukovac, S. Vance, C. Hecock, A. Gregory, G. Hamlin, S. Jones, R. Gott, K. Reichard, E. Reynolds, K. Macarthy. Front row: L. Langham, R. Sandbank, M. Walter, H. Freitag, S. Cervone, J. Schettler, D. Locke, S. Markowich, J. Rogers, P. Humphrey.

The Girls' Glee Club, composed of girls in grades nine through twelve, was under the direction of Herbert Henke, our new vocal music supervisor. The highlights of the year were the original and inspiring Christmas program and the Spring Concert, which was the climax of the year's work. This year's officers were Leigh Murphy, president; Peggy Strickling, secretary; Judy Carder and Julie Schettler, social chairmen.

Back row: Mr. Henke, director, H. Pratt, F. Dickinson, F. Wigginton, A. Grills, R. Spiegelberg, J. Worcester, A. Shepherd. Front row: D. Deuble, C. Martin, A. Dawley, E. Coates, R. Fountain, R. Clayton, C. Bedell, P. Thompson, G. Edwards, G. Spiegelberg.

BOYS' CHORUS

The Boys' Chorus, under the direction of Mr. Henke, grew larger and more active this year. They sang at the Christmas program, at the Rhythm Round-Up, and at the Spring concert.

The Girls' Ensemble is a group of girls chosen from the Glee Club for their superior musical ability. The girls received excellent vocal training and demonstrated their talents at each of their performances.

Back row: M. Sanner, S. Bauman. Third row: K. Reichard, B. Bukovac, M. McIlroy. Second row: L. Murphy, S. Cervone, J. Schettler, A. Fildey. Front row: S. Crisp, M. Gray, S. Jones.

This Girls' Ensemble practices every Monday after school, and the girls were most successful in both their Christmas and Spring concerts.

Left to right, starting from the back row: D. Deuble, H. Schettler, K. Langdon, S. Phipps, D. Crowell, W. Lemasters, S. Stephens, I. Malm, S. Cowling, J. Fildey, N. Oakley, V. Dunfee, J. Lauer.

THE YEARBOOK STAFF

PLANNING BOARD

This group of seniors was responsible for the planning of the yearbook, the securing of the necessary pictures and copy, and the preparation of the layout for each page. This process demands a lot of organization, thought, and time. The school is grateful to them for their contribution in this presentation of a record of our school year.

Left to right: H. Freitag, A. Fildey, L. Holloway, Mrs. Hungate, Advisor, T. Lanyi, T. Turner, J. Thourot, B. Hancock, M. Sanner, J. Carder, L. Murphy.

ANNE FILDEY
Editor

BART HANCOCK
Business Manager

MARTHA HARRIS
Typist

ADVERTISING STAFF

These seniors were delegated to raise the funds necessary for the publication of the yearbook. They made calls to secure the advertising which helps to meet the large bills for photography, printing, and binding. Our student body appreciates their efforts as well as the wonderful cooperation of the business and professional men of our community.

Left to right, starting at the rear: H. Codney, B. Konsesky, B. Hancock, B. Berg, P. Stofan, J. MacLaury, N. Gott, T. Totzke, D. Aughenbaugh, D. Davis, T. Staubus, M. Harris, J. Siddall, G. Stang, M. Atkins, P. Strickling, K. Krueger, S. Thompson, J. Thourot, I. Robinson, A. Fildey, L. Holloway.

STUDENT SENATE

Standing: R. Spiegelberg, A. Grills, J. Schettler, B. Kirk, H. Freitag, M. Atkins, T. Koss, E. Reynolds, Mr. Newell. Seated: A. Comings, C. Butts, R. Holbrook, M. Roellinger, L. Means, J. Seabold, L. Meyers, A. Holbrook, C. Bedell. Not pictured: Pamela Gorske, James Baxter.

Our school senate is composed of representatives of each homeroom. They meet with Mr. Newell, the principal, to discuss school problems and procedures. The officers of the group are as follows: Edward Reynolds, president; Jim Baxter, vice president; and Taffy Koss, secretary.

EDWARD REYNOLDS
Editor

O-HIGH LIGHTS

The *O-High Lights* staff meets every Monday noon to prepare material for the high school section of the *Oberlin News Tribune*. Under the guidance of Miss May as advisor and Ed Reynolds as the able editor, the group covers the news of our school through news items, editorials, interviews, and "Chit and Chat."

Standing: D. Deuble, I. Malm, T. Lanyi, G. Weltzheimer, S. Cervone, J. Slater, J. MacLaury. Seated: J. Fildey, J. Johnson, H. Freitag, A. Fildey, S. Phipps. Not pictured: N. Fairchild, L. Macarthy.

HI-Y

CLUB OFFICERS

Seated: Bart Hancock, treasurer; Jim Baxter, secretary; Jim MacLaury, president; Gerry Streator, sergeant-at-arms. Standing: Dave Aughenbaugh, social chairman; Jon Durfee, service chairman; Mr. Shubert, advisor; Jack Coniam, financial chairman; David Ignat, publicity chairman.

The purpose of Hi-Y is "To create, maintain, and extend throughout the home, school, and community high standards of Christian character."

The Oberlin Hi-Y met twice each month during the school year. It had programs which dealt with such topics as sports, travel, personal finance, and boy-girl relations. The club also had swim nights at Crane Pool.

The club's money-raising projects included selling football programs, maintaining a cloakroom at the home basketball games, and selling Christmas cards. In December the group sponsored the all-school Winter Wonderland Dance.

As service projects, the boys sent several food parcels abroad through CARE, and gave substantial financial assistance to the area Y.M.C.A. and the Y.M.C.A. World Service program.

Mr. Shubert was the club advisor, and his help and guidance were greatly appreciated. Officers for the years were Jim MacLaury, president; Fred Dickinson, vice president; Bart Hancock, treasurer; Jim Baxter, secretary; Edward Reynolds, chaplain; and Gerry Streator, sergeant-at-arms.

FINE ARTS

The Fine Arts Club is composed of junior and senior girls whose eligibility is determined by their scholastic average. The girls met every Monday night at a member's house. The group was very active this year, having some interesting speakers, a white elephant sale, and the annual Mother-Daughter tea. The successful year was drawn to a memorable close with the week-end house party at Mitiwanga.

CLUB OFFICERS

Left to right: Jerrie Bennett, social chairman; Martha Harris, secretary; Marna Atkins, president; Judy Carder, vice president; Anne Fildey, treasurer.

Girls who joined the club second semester were Joan Thourot, Taffy Koss, Ingrid Malm, Gail Stang, Marty Sanner, and Barbara Smith. Not pictured: Helma Freitag.

QUIZ BEE TEAM

After weeks of diligent study this year's Quiz Bee Team earned the right to be called Southwest Conference champions for the third year in a row. The trophy was presented to Oberlin, and Mr. Szwaja and the team were justly repaid for their many hours of work. Mr. Szwaja is shown with the team who are Marna Atkins, Jane Fildey, Toni Lanyi, Ingrid Malm, and Dave Aughenbaugh. Anne Fildey and Jim Baxter are seated.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics Club had many interesting programs this year: a bake sale, a Christmas party, a banquet, and the annual picnic for the installation of the officers. The members of the club in the first row are Rose Crawford, Sally Brotherton, Jean Schott and Kathy Cheeks. In the second row are Ruth Rhinehardt, Donna Payne, Lucille Macarthy, Juanita Crisp, and Mary Lou Gray. In the third row are Mimi Johnson, Miss Doane, Kathy Macarthy, secretary-treasurer; Sally Crisp, president; and Dorothy Welch, vice president.

MUSIC CONTEST

These people were the representatives from Oberlin High School at the Northeast Regional-State Solo and Ensemble Contest. They qualified for the contest by getting a superior rating at the District Contest.

First row: S. Phipps, J. Schettler, K. Schuster, and S. Howard. Second row: W. Barnaj, H. Schettler, K. Owen, K. Reichard, B. Ritter, D. Buck, and C. Wallace.

LIBRARY ASSISTANTS

Every period in the day one girl helps Miss May with the duties of the library.

First row: L. Edwards, B. Smith, M. Gray, Miss May. Second row: S. Hahn, C. Watson, M. Wyckoff, M. Elam, S. Humphrey, and J. Slater, Miss May.

OFFICE ASSISTANTS

The girls who assist the school secretary, Mrs. Verda, in the office are L. Reisinger, M. Wyckoff, L. Holloway, A. Brickell, and B. Eldridge. S. Randleman is seated.

RECEPTIONISTS

The receptionists serve the school by directing visitors to their destinations and by acting as messengers in the building. These girls are J. Seabold, J. Rathwell, J. Bartko, S. Jones, S. Bauman. J. Thompson and E. Turnbull are seated.

D. Chamberlain, I. Robinson, T. Koss, M. Juvenile, D. Ignat, H. Freitag, L. Murphy, J. Stephens, D. Berg, H. Codney, E. Dickinson, M. Atkins, G. Stang.

Howard Codney
Marna Atkins

Director
Dale Huffington

OUR TOWN

David Cox
Larry Myers

Leigh Murphy
Marna Atkins

Fred Dickinson
Marna Atkins
Howard Codney

Gail Stang
Gary Podwalny

Denny Chamberlain
Jay Coniam

J. Stephens, D. Berg, H. Sodney, F. Dickinson, M. Atkins, G. Stang, D. Cox, L. Myers, J. Vander Pyl, J. Elvin, T. Lanyi, R. Brown, D. Buck, J. Green, R. Singleton, J. Hoffman, G. Podwalny, J. Coniam.

SCHOOL PLAY

The 1957 School Play *Our Town* by Thornton Wilder depicts life in an average American small town at the turn of the last century. Produced by Donald Maclennan and Mrs. Hettie Lou Clark and directed by Dale Huffington, *Our Town* was considered to be the finest production ever put on by Oberlin High School. Fred Dickinson, Marna Atkins, Howard Codney, Dot Berg, Gail Stang, Dave Cox, and John Stephens played the leading roles; freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors alike took part in the performance. *Our Town* calls for no scenery and few props, but the excellent lighting and staging facilities of Hall Auditorium were used to their best advantage. The performances on March 27 and March 28 were an artistic, as well as a dramatic, success.

Gail Stang, Helma Freitag, Dorothy Berg.

John Vander Pyl
Tony Lanyi

John Elvin
Raymond Brown

David Buck

Marna Atkins, Howard Codney, David Ignat; Producers Donald Maclennan and Mrs. Clark.

Taffy Koss
Ida Jean Robinson
Margaret Juvenile

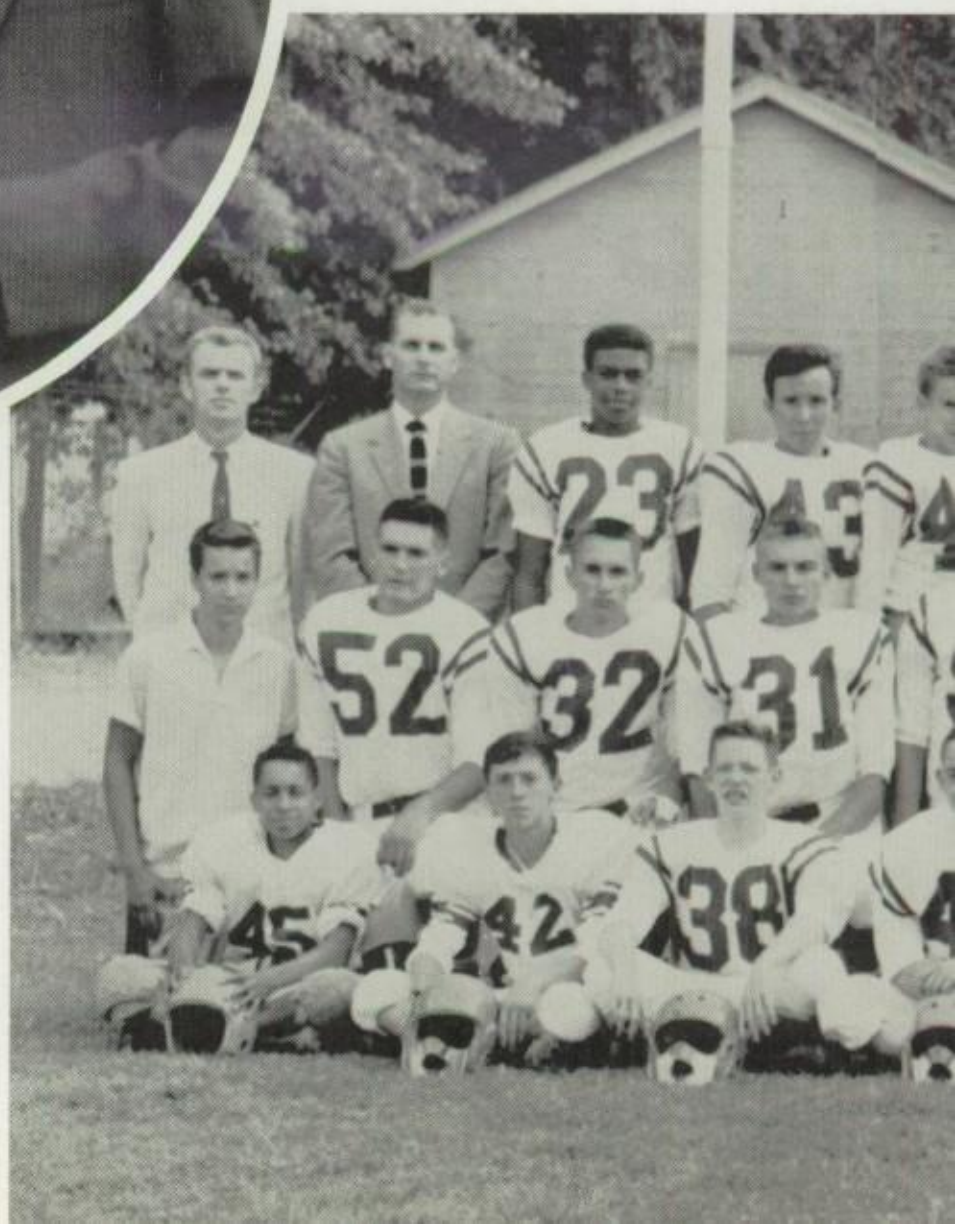
FOOTBALL

The football season of 1956 was a memorable one for the Oberlin Indians, as, with Rocky River and North Olmsted, they emerged co-champions of the Southwest Conference. With a record of 7 wins and 1 loss, Oberlin racked up 143 points against their opponents' 76. Backs Jack Coniam and Allen Chaney, and linemen Bob Berg and Ned Gott were placed on the all-league teams.

After easy victories over Amherst, Medina, and Westlake, sparked by a strong running and passing attack, the Indians were faced with their first big test at Rocky River, where much pre-game publicity had favored the Pirates to win. However, with Oberlin coming from behind, one of the most exciting games of the season ended in an Indian victory, 13-7. Then came another thrilling victory against Fairview, a game which saw the Indians save the game by recovering a fumble on their own 4-yard line with less than a minute to go in the last quarter. After a disappointing defeat at North Olmsted, Oberlin bounced back with an easy victory over Olmsted Falls. The last game of the season was at Bay Village. Trailing by a touchdown going into the last quarter, the Indians tied it up with a long touchdown pass from Jack Coniam to Ron Crisp; and Oberlin scored the winning points a few minutes later. It was a fitting climax to the football careers of seniors Jack Coniam, Allen Chaney, Bob Berg, Ned Gott, and Cliff Atkinson, and the end of a thrilling season.

MR. RUSSELL LYNCH
MR. CHARLES BEDELL
Assistant Coaches

DAVID COX, JOHN VANDER PYL,
and CHARLES BUTTS
Managers



MR. PETER FANNING
Head Coach

Back row: Coach Pete Fanning, Coach Russ Lynch, R. Crisp, E. Clark, J. MacLaury, B. Hancock, E. Ellington, R. LeCraft, L. Townsell, P. Stofan, J. Durfee, A. Spiegelberg, N. Gott, S. Kilmer, R. Spiegelberg, Jack Coniam, A. Chaney, Coach Charles Bedell. Middle row: Manager D. Cox, A. Grills, P. Ross, D. Harris, R. Feakins, A. Bruehler, F. Wigginton, J. Harris, B. Bourne, R. Berg, G. Cowling, J. Kilmer, T. Atkinson, D. Chamberlain, Managers C. Butts and J. Vander Pyl. Front row: R. Clayton, D. Cloudt, J. Carpenter, G. Podwalny, J. Stephens, Jay Coniam, D. Johnson, G. Robinson, B. Robinson, L. Smith, C. Randleman, H. Reinhold, A. Comings.

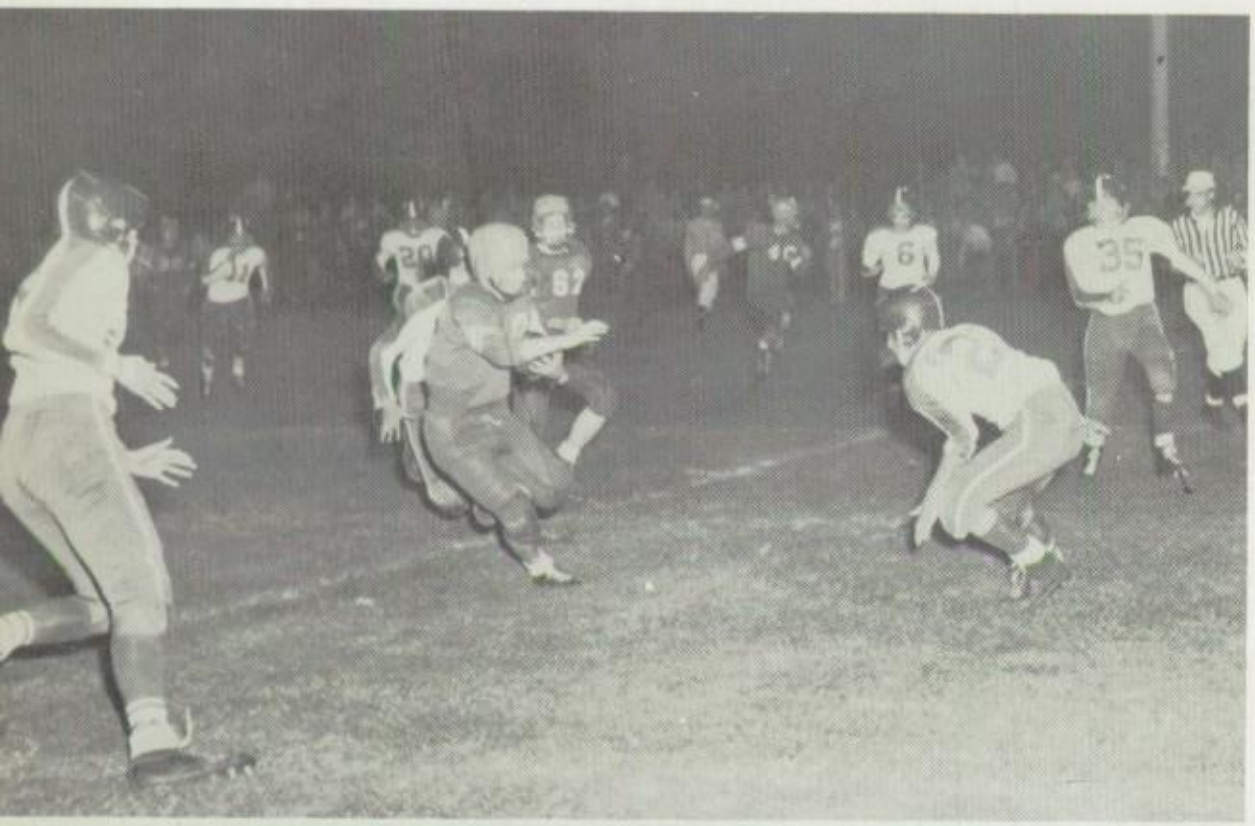
THE TEAM

Oberlin	14	Amherst	7
Oberlin	26	Medina	7
Oberlin	33	Westlake	0
Oberlin	13	Rocky River	7

L. TOWNSELL, Fullback

JACK CONIAM, Quarterback
A. CHANEY, Halfback

J. HARRIS, End
N. GOTT, Tackle
R. Berg, Guard
D. CHAMBERLAIN, Center



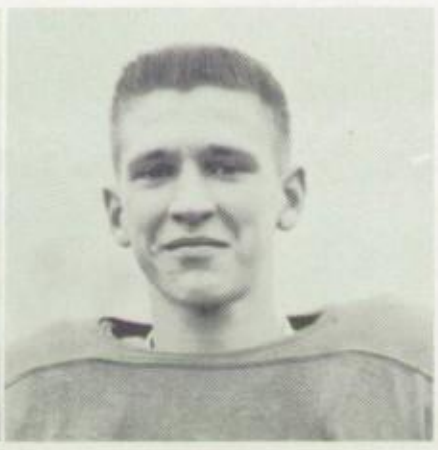
A. SPIEGELBERG, Linebacker

E. ELLINGTON, Tackle

IN ACTION

Oberlin	13	Fairview	6
North Olmsted	33	Oberlin	0
Oberlin	24	Olmsted Falls	6
Oberlin	20	Bay Village	13

G. ROBINSON, Halfback



A. GRILLS, Guard
R. SPIEGELBERG, Tackle
F. WIGGINTON, End

C. ATKINSON, Halfback

R. CRISP, Halfback

JAY CONIAM, Quarterback

BASKETBALL

VARSITY SCORES

Oberlin	71	Amherst	42
Oberlin	56	Olmsted Falls	51
Bay Village	48	Oberlin	37
Midview	73	Oberlin	70
Westlake	58	Oberlin	37
Rocky River	81	Oberlin	67
Oberlin	62	North Olmsted	54
Fairview	71	Oberlin	49
Oberlin	81	Medina	45

Oberlin	74	Olmsted Falls	51
Bay Village	57	Oberlin	48
Westlake	53	Oberlin	51
Rocky River	72	Oberlin	45
Fairview	80	Oberlin	51
Oberlin	71	North Olmsted	64
Oberlin	56	Medina	45
Amherst	64	Oberlin	51

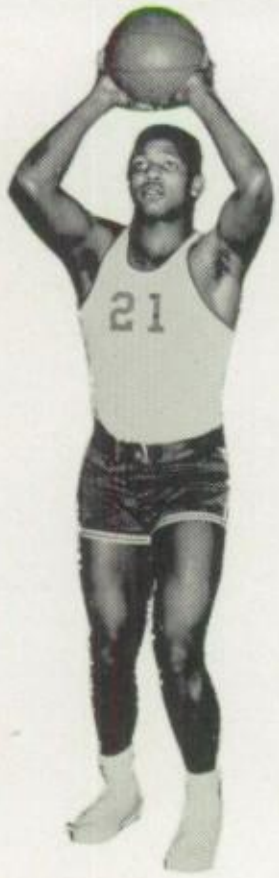
(tournament)

JACK CONIAM, Guard

GERRY STREATOR, Center

JOE HARRIS, Forward

COACH RUSSELL LYNCH



AL CHANEY, Forward

DAVE HARRIS, Guard

Coach Lynch's varsity basketball team gave us plenty of thrills during the 1956-1957 season. With a home record of 4 wins and 5 losses, an away record of 3 and 4, and a total record of 7 and 9, the team held its own in the tough Southwest Conference. Jack Coniam broke many OHS records, including most points in a season (414), most points in four years on the OHS varsity (1223), and most points in a game (45 against Midview). Jack was the top scorer in the Southwest Conference and was named on the all-conference team for the third year in a row.

VARSITY TEAM

Top row: Jay Coniam, J. Harris, R. Crisp, G. Streator, A. Chaney, Jack Coniam, Coach Russell Lynch. Bottom row: R. Spiegelberg, D. Spurlock, L. Townsel, B. Bourne, F. Wigginton, D. Harris.

JAY CONIAM, Guard

RONALD CRISP, Forward

DELBERT SPURLOCK,

Guard

RESERVE TEAM

Top row: R. Townsel, B. Bourne, F. Wigginton, R. Spiegelberg, B. Johnson, D. Spurlock, Coach Peter Fanning. Bottom row: L. Atkinson, J. Fitzpatrick, A. Spiegelberg, G. Robinson, L. Townsel.

The Reserves, coached by Pete Fanning, had an unusually successful season, winning 5 and losing 4 at home, with a 3 and 4 record away. Their total record of 8 and 8 could well make OHS fans hopeful for the seasons to come.

MANAGERS

Jim MacLaury and Fred Dickinson worked diligently throughout the season to keep the Varsity and Reserves well supplied with equipment.

RESERVES SCORES

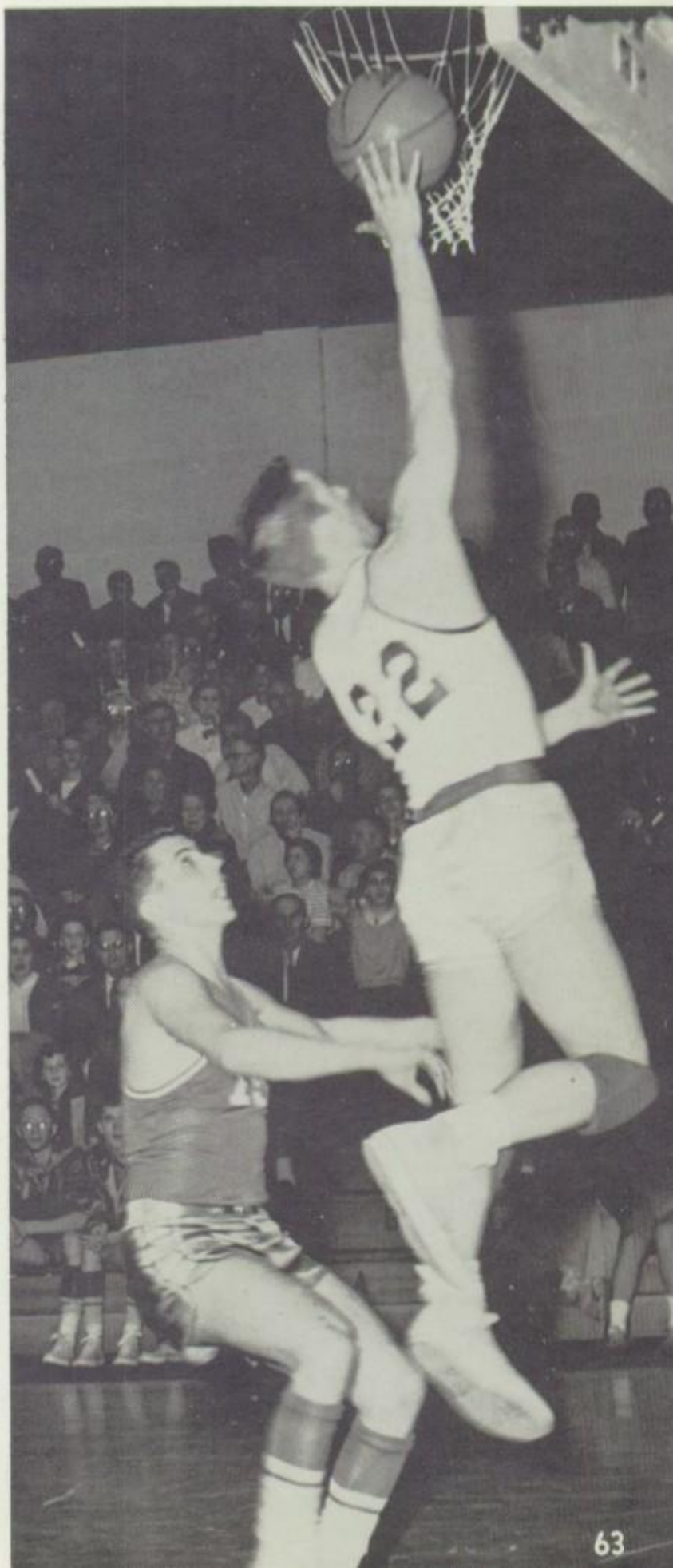
Oberlin	38	Amherst	28
Oberlin	49	Olmsted Falls	41
Bay Village	32	Oberlin	30
Midview	59	Oberlin	41
Oberlin	44	Westlake	39
Oberlin	34	Rocky River	25
North Olmsted	41	Oberlin	39
Oberlin	41	Fairview	32
Medina	45	Oberlin	31
Oberlin	39	Olmsted Falls	29
Oberlin	49	Bay Village	41
Oberlin	36	Westlake	34
Rocky River	30	Oberlin	28
Fairview	55	Oberlin	43
North Olmsted	50	Oberlin	39
Medina	56	Oberlin	50

ASSISTANT COACHES

Charles Bedell, seventh and eighth grade coach; Peter Fanning, Reserve coach; Stewart Fairchild, ninth grade coach.

JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

In addition to the Varsity and Reserve teams, there were two other active basketball programs in OHS. The ninth grade team, coached by Stewart Fairchild, had a record of 8 wins and 1 loss. The seventh and eighth grade team, coached by Charles Bedell, had a season's tally of 5 wins and 3 losses. These fine records promised even better varsity records in the future.



Action!

TRACK

Back row: A. Grills, R. Spiegelberg, D. Harris, J. Durfee, Coach Pete Fanning, Jim MacLaury, Jack Coniam, J. Harris, E. Randle. Middle row: D. Chamberlain, Jay Coniam, A. Spiegelberg, G. Cowling, L. Townsel, J. Fitzpatrick, J. Stephens. Front row: Jud MacLaury, J. VanderPyl, R. Townsel, G. Robinson, C. Butts, E. Ellington.

The Oberlin Indians, led by Coach Pete Fanning, enjoyed a successful track season in 1957. They won triangular meets with North Olmsted and Olmsted Falls, Amherst and Midview, Medina and Wellington; they triumphed over Fairview and Lakewood St. Edward in dual contests. Jack and Jay, the Coniam brothers, won points for Oberlin at the big Mansfield Relays; and an Oberlin team of the two Coniams and Ron Spiegelberg won the pole vault relay at the Ohio Wesleyan relays. Oberlin finished a disappointing fourth at the league meet, but made a relatively better showing at the district meet, at which Jay Coniam broke the district meet pole vault record with a jump of 12 feet, 6 inches. Oberlin sent Jack and Jay Coniam in the pole vault and Joe Harris in the broad jump to the state meet, but the three athletes were unable to score any points against the tough Class AA competition. The prospects for the track season next year are good, with a strong possibility that Oberlin will emerge as a stronger track power than in 1957.

OHS runners ready for a practice dash.

Jack Coniam, Ed Randle, and Ron Spiegelberg.

The Coniam brothers — Jack, a senior, and Jay, a junior — are the Indians' pole-vaulting stars.

Joe Harris gets some pointers from Coach Pete Fanning.

GOLF

Back row: R. LeCraft, S. Kilmer, Coach Stewart Fairchild, D. Ignat, B. Bourne, R. Singleton. Front row: D. Cox, J. Kilmer, T. Schettler.

The Golf Team had a good season, winning 3 and losing 2 matches, with wins from Lorain High School, Medina, and Elyria Catholic, and losses from Elyria Catholic and Medina. All members of the team got letters. Ranked according to ability the team members were Berry Bourne, Steve Kilmer, Jeff Kilmer, Dave Ignat, Dave Cox, Bob Singleton, Rick LeCraft, and Ted Schettler. Ignat, winning all his matches during the season, was the high point man on the team and Bourne lost only one match in the season. Oberlin was fourth in the 13-team district tournament; Berry Bourne was tied for fourth in the individual lineup at the same match. As all the members of the golf team are freshmen and sophomores, Coach Stewart Fairchild can look for good years ahead in OHS golf.

Sponsor
MISS GRILLS

President
DOROTHY BERG

Vice President
SONIA PHIPPS

Secretary-Treasurer
MARTHA HARRIS

Recorder
HEBE SCHETTLER

Dorothy Berg, G.A.A. President, presents the Field Hockey Plaque to Junior Captain Sally Crisp, and the Basketball Trophy to Junior Captain Betty Ives.

GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Our G.A.A. is an organization for all girls in grades 9 through 12 who are interested in participating in sports and other related social activities.

This year the G.A.A. began with a picnic on the football field and a scavenger hunt. Following this, there was a formal candle-light initiation for all the freshman girls.

About a week after this, the hockey season was underway. The juniors won the class tournament, and the Red and Blues tied in the all-star game.

Many of the girls were busy every home game of the football season working in the G.A.A. concession stand, selling hot dogs and many other things to the hungry football fans.

At the close of the football season, we held our Annual Victory Ball in honor of the coaches and players, and everyone danced to the music of Joe Shake's band.

Basketball started in November. Again the juniors won the class tournament. The Blues ran away with all the points in the all-star game. The alumnae also played a game afterwards; and following that, we had a big record hop in the Auditorium.

There have been several activities other than sports in the G.A.A. program. We packed a box for a needy family at Christmas, and twice we had the use of Crane Pool for joyful swims.

Field Hockey
GAIL STANG

Basketball
SUE JONES

Volleyball
JUDY KIRK

Softball
JEANETTE BARTKO

Hiking-Biking
BONNIE KIRK

Hebe Schettler, Dorothy Berg, Miss Grills

The Annual Spring Banquet held at the Oberlin Inn

Dorothy Berg, Peggy Strickling

We have gone to two playdays in which our girls participated. One was the Eastern Michigan Playday, and the other was at Bowling Green University. We also had our own Playday at the high school when girls from Wellington, Amherst, and Firelands were our guests.

The field-hockey and volleyball banquets were held in the Home Ec Room under the supervision of Miss Doane, and our basketball banquet was held at Martin's Inn. To close the year we had a wonderful banquet at the Oberlin Inn with the mothers of senior girls as our guests. On this occasion a Participation Cup was awarded for the first time to the class which had the highest percentage taking part in sports. The freshmen won it this year.

At the conclusion of another year of work and play, let us hope that everyone has had a wonderful time and will never forget these many worthwhile events and experiences.

All of the girls in G.A.A. are grateful to our advisor, Miss Grills, for all of her assistance and friendly guidance.

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NANCY FAIRCHILD

Freshman Representative
SHARON FAIRCHILD

I. Malm, S. Crisp, D. Deuble, S. Stevens, B. Payne, S. Jones, and S. Randleman sold refreshments in the G.A.A. foodstand during the football season.

SENIORS

Standing: D. Berg, L. Murphy, G. Stang, P. Strickling, H. Freitag. Kneeling: M. Sanner, J. Carder.

THE HOCKE

The Hockey season started with a large and enthusiastic turnout. After a number of practice games, the class teams were chosen; and then the all-star players were selected for the Red and Blue teams. The Red and Blue game was very exciting and ended in a tie. After the game a banquet was held for the team members in the Home Ec Room. The season was a success, and it was greatly enjoyed by all who participated.

JUNIORS

Standing: L. Reisinger, J. Seabold, B. Eldridge. Kneeling: D. Deuble, J. Bartko, S. Crisp.

SOPHOMORES

Standing: M. McCloud, S. Hahn, M. Juvenile, J. Lauer, E. Randle, J. Schettler, J. Eldridge. Kneeling: B. Kirk, N. Fairchild, S. Salo, S. Cervone, E. Reynolds.

EASON

RED TEAM

Standing: B. Eldridge, D. Deuble, L. Murphy, P. Strickling, N. Fairchild, M. McIlroy, B. Kirk, M. Karr. Kneeling: M. Sanner, J. Seabold, L. Reisinger, J. Crisp, J. Schettler.

BLUE TEAM

Standing: S. Cervone, S. Crisp, S. Salo, M. Juvenile, E. Randle, P. Strickling, D. Berg. Kneeling: J. Bartko, J. Carder, G. Stang, H. Freitag.

FRESHMEN

Standing: B. Kelly, F. Payne, M. Karr, M. Roellinger, M. McIlroy, P. Rimbert, M. Butler, D. Thomas. Kneeling: G. Tufts, C. Hecock, K. Reichard, J. Crisp, L. Means, S. Hunter, S. Markowich.

THE BASKETBAL

SENIORS

Standing: M. Harris, J. Carder, D. Berg. Kneeling: P. Strickling, L. Murphy, M. Sanner, H. Freitag.

JUNIORS

Standing: S. Crisp, B. Ives, J. Bartko, B. Payne, B. Eldridge. Kneeling: L. Reisinger, D. Deuble, S. Jones.

The G.A.A. basketball season began after Thanksgiving vacation with 75 girls participating. A series of practice games was followed by the selection of the official class teams. The juniors emerged as tournament winners for this year. Our All-Star Red and Blue game was played in February preceded by a supper at Martin's Inn. The Reds were victorious over the Blues with a final score of 45-31, thus ending the always-popular basketball season.

SOPHOMORES

Standing: J. Eldridge, E. Randle, J. Lauer, B. Kirk, M. Juvenile. Kneeling: E. Reynolds, H. Atwood, J. Schettler, M. McCloud, K. Cheeks.

EASON

RED TEAM

Standing: D. Deuble, P. Strickling, J. Lauer, M. McIlroy, S. Fairchild. Sitting: B. Kirk, J. Schettler, B. Eldridge, M. Harris, K. Cheeks.

BLUE TEAM

Standing: S. Phipps, S. Crisp, E. Randle, B. Payne, D. Thomas. Sitting: J. Bartko, B. Ives, J. Carder, S. Jones, J. Eldridge.

FRESHMEN

Standing: L. Deuble, L. Means, M. McIlroy, F. Payne, S. Fairchild, D. Thomas. Kneeling: K. Reichard, S. Vance, J. Crisp.

THE VOLLEYBALL SEASON

TURNOUT

BLUE TEAM

Standing: P. Strickling, J. Seabold, J. Kirk, J. Slater. Kneeling: B. Kirk, M. McIlroy, B. Eldridge, J. Schettler.

The volleyball season started on March 7 with a big turnout. The class teams were chosen after five practice games. Following this, the Red and Blue teams were selected, and their game was one to remember — with the three overtimes and lots of excitement.

RED TEAM

Standing: B. Ives, D. Berg, E. Randle, M. Juvenile, S. Markowich. Kneeling: D. Thomas, J. Bartko, L. Murphy, L. Reisinger, J. Eldridge.

THE SOFTBALL SEASON

The G.A.A. softball season started with our first practice May 2 and ended May 13. On May 15 the class teams were chosen and the race was on to see who would win the class team tournament. The sophomores were the champs. There was only one round of class team games because of the joint Junior-Senior team. Following the Red and Blue game, which was played June 7, 1957, there was a picnic at the home of Martha Harris.

TURNOUT

Strike . . . !

RED TEAM

S. Crisp
B. Eldridge
S. Fairchild
B. Kirk
A. Wiggins
L. Deuble
D. Deuble
M. Harris
P. Strickling
C. Radunsky
M. Jones
K. Cheeks

BLUE TEAM

E. Reynolds
R. Rhinehardt
E. Randle
I. Armstrong
D. Thomas
B. Payne
D. Berg
B. Ives
J. Bartko
J. Kirk
J. Eldridge
H. Atwood

Pitcher Dot Berg

Batter up!

OUR CHEERLEADERS

This year the number of Varsity Cheerleaders was increased to five junior and senior girls. Also there are five Reserve Cheerleaders chosen from the freshman and sophomore classes.

The cheerleaders have increased our school spirit by their fine cheerleading, the formation of the Pep Club, and the leading of many pep rallies before the games. The Pep Club was started early in the fall, and the members who went to six of the eight football games were admitted to the last game free of charge. Before the North Olmsted game the cheerleaders arranged a bonfire rally where the class contributing the largest amount of wood or the best skit received prizes.

These girls demonstrated their cheerleading skills and their ability to be fine representatives of the school. That they were successful was proved by their winning a trophy and five miniature silver megaphones for gaining second place in the Elyria District Cheerleading Contest. The contest is sponsored annually by the Elyria Chronicle Telegram for the Varsity Cheerleaders of the eight schools in our district.

Standing: R. Hurd, G. Weltzheimer, and D. Berg.
Kneeling: J. Thompson and E. Turnbull.

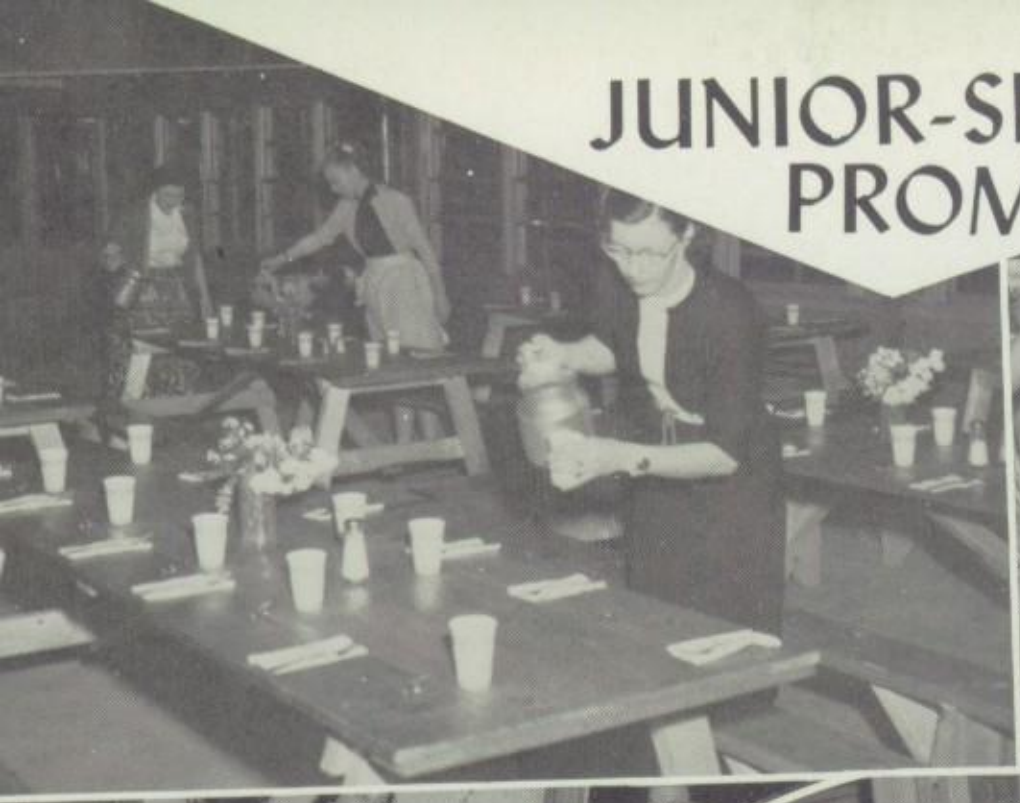
VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

J. Thompson, R. Hurd, G. Weltzheimer, D. Berg, E. Turnbull.

RESERVE CHEERLEADERS

P. Humphrey, S. Markowich, G. Easterday, S. Cervone and C. Hecock.

JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM



PROM QUEEN

JANE SIDDALL

JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM

The theme of this year's Junior-Senior Prom was "The Halls of Ivy." This year we had an all-night celebration. The dance was held from nine to twelve at Spring Valley Country Club in Elyria, and a banquet was served there at the club after the dance. About one o'clock we drove back to Oberlin and went home to change our clothes, and then met again at the Apollo Theater to see a movie, *This Could Be the Night*. Following that, at about 4 A.M., we all went to the Firelands Boy Scout Camp for a breakfast which was prepared by some of the parents of the juniors and seniors.

The Prom was a huge success and much credit goes to those who planned and helped to make this such a pleasant experience.

THE QUEEN AND HER COURT

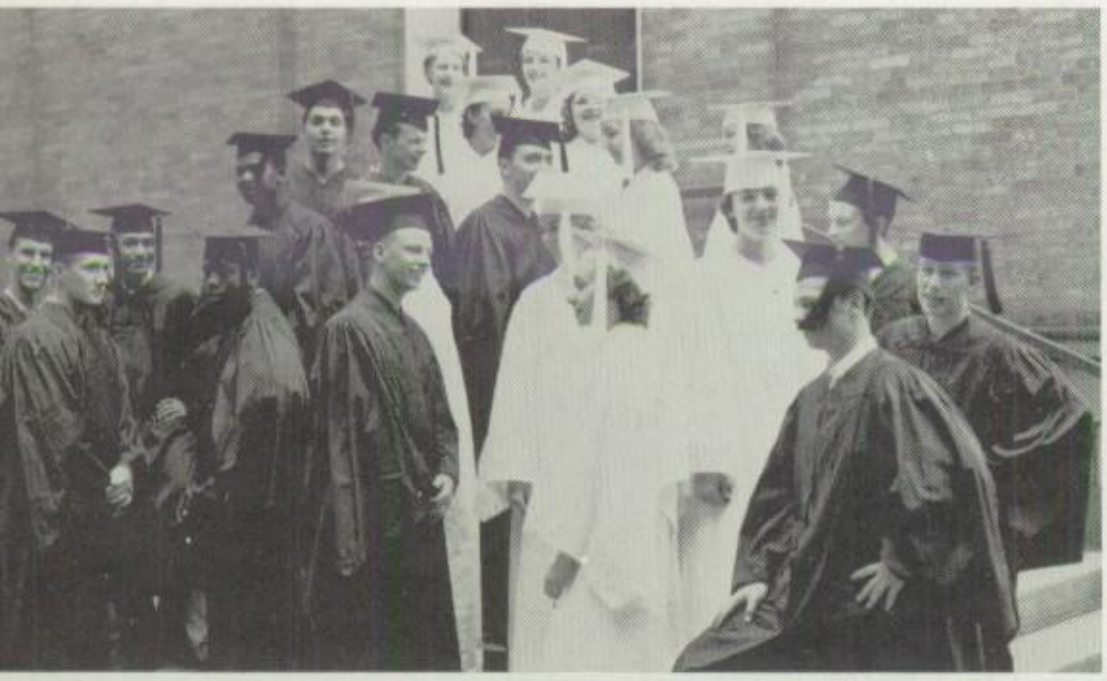
Martha Sanner, Leigh Murphy, Jane Siddall, Dorothy Berg, Marna Atkins.

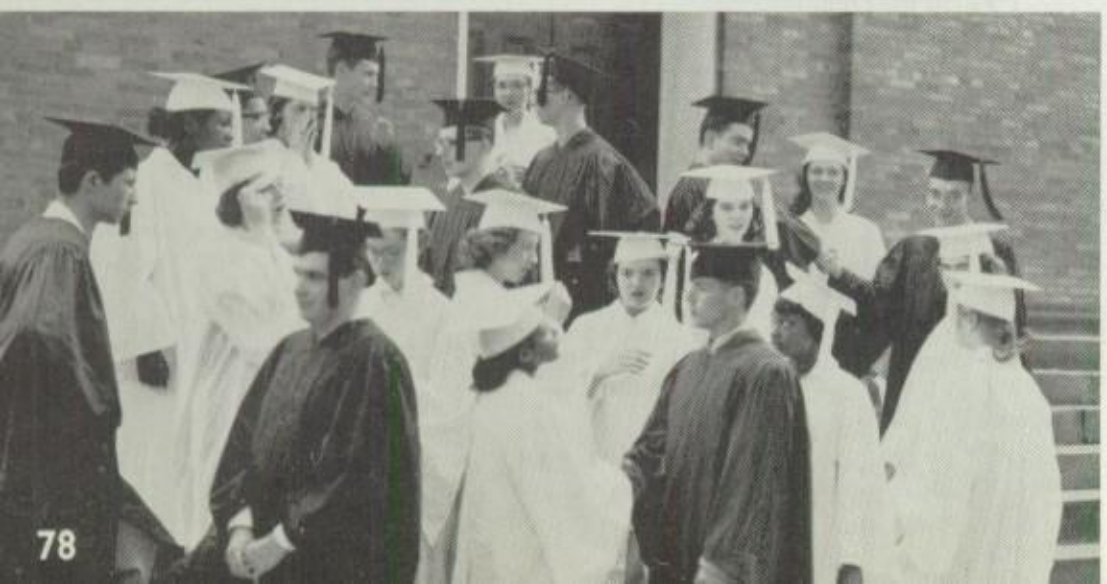
Dave Harris, Junior Class President, presents a gift to Mr. Szwaja, the class sponsor.

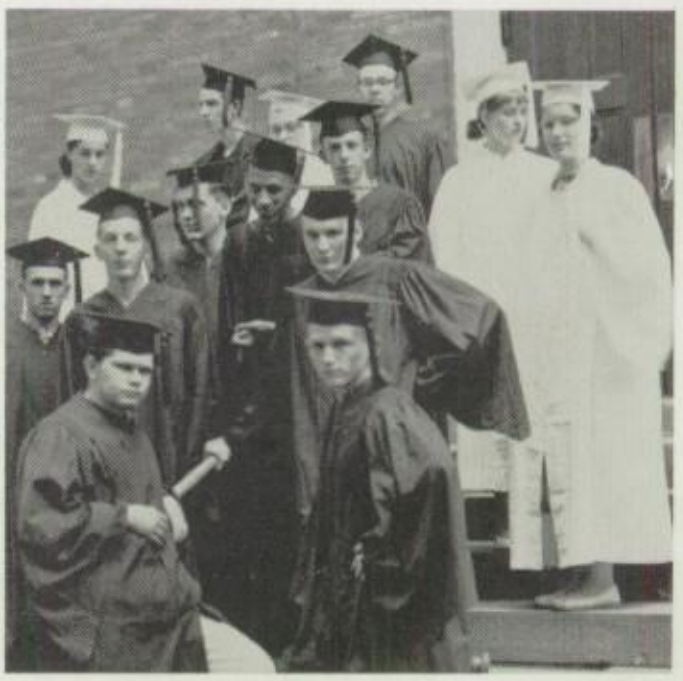
Cute couple — Barbara Smith and Eugene Getty.

Helma Freitag and Tony Lanyi

Fifth row: J. Carder, J. Princehorn, N. Gott, V. Macha, J. Siddall, P. Stofan, T. Turner, R. Koshar, J. Thourot, W. Morris, J. King, J. MacLaury, B. Smith. Fourth row: L. Murphy, G. Stang, B. Hancock, L. Champney, T. Totzke, A. Chaney, G. Quinn, C. Mueller, B. Stalnaker, P. Strickling, I. Armstrong. Third row: B. Martin, S. Thompson, M. Sanner, J. Opaliski, D. Aughenbaugh, H. Codney, O. Potts, R. Lewis, B. Konsesky, M. Harris, D. Berg, M. Bennett. Second row: L. Holloway, J. Bennett, M. Atkins, E. Reynolds, D. Davis, R. Berg, D. Herman, T. Staubus, A. Bradstock, D. Widdowson, B. Bungard. First row: J. Coniam, B. McCloud, I. Robinson, L. Reynolds, D. Wessell, A. Fildey, W. Shipman, K. Krueger, H. Freitag, C. Vedder, J. Baxter.







COMMENCEMENT

The Commencement program of the class of 1957 was especially notable because several new features were introduced.

For the first time in the history of the school there was a Baccalaureate service which was held on June second in the First Congregational Church. One of the senior girls, Barbara McCloud, sang the beautiful "Lord's Prayer." Dr. King, the minister of First Church and the father of one of the seniors, gave the invocation and the benediction; and Dr. Lee, a professor in Oberlin Theological Seminary, gave a truly fine speech.

The second innovation was the new location of the graduation exercises, which were held in Finney Chapel instead of First Church, because of its greater capacity, and a large crowd assembled there. Dr. Fildey, a professor in Oberlin Theological Seminary, also the parent of one of the seniors, gave the invocation and the benediction. Jayne Siddall, a member of the graduating class, gave a short and effective talk, and Ed Reynolds, another senior, played a piano solo. The address was given by Dr. Frank Landard, Dean of Baldwin Wallace College.

The high school P.T.A. held a reception for the seniors and their guests in James Brand House. After the reception the crowds dispersed to open houses held at the homes of several seniors.

The whole Commencement program was truly a wonderful ending for the twelve years the seniors have spent in school.

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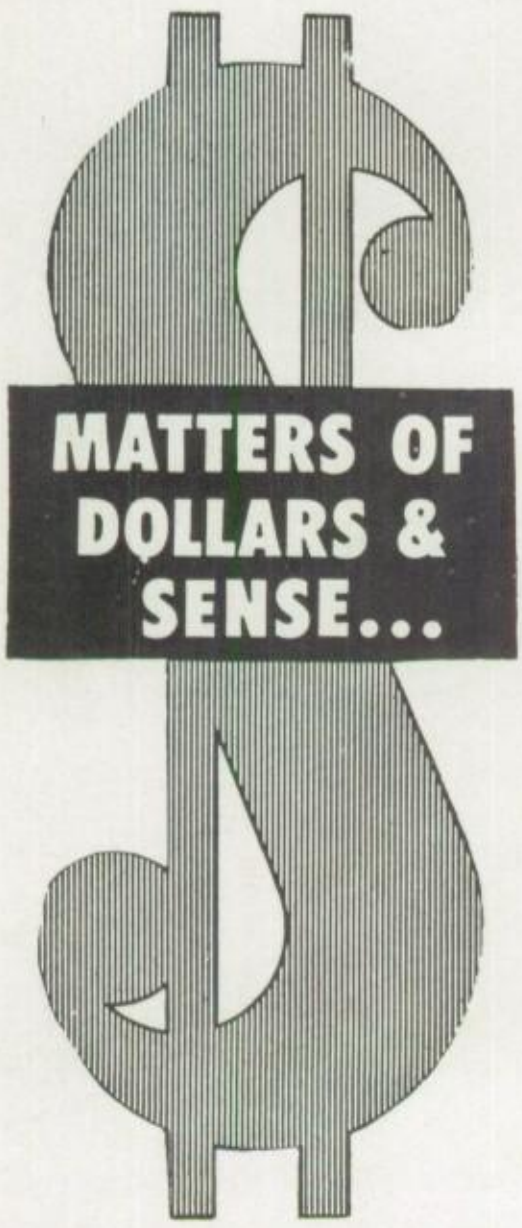

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